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A SHIP!? NO--A TREE?!
VOMMM
VOMMM
VOMMM
SHMMM!
HISHIMA, CUT OUR JAMMING BROADCAST! I WANT TO TALK WITH THE GP SHIP!
AS YOU WISH!

Tales of Tenchi #1
BREAKDOWN

YOU THERE-- GP SHIP! DO YOU HEAR ME?!
HMM? DID THEY STOP THE JAMMING WAVE?
PREPARE TO RECEIVE A LITTLE PRESENT... HOPE YOU LIKE IT!
CHEEM
WEEM
BADOOM
AAAAGHH!!

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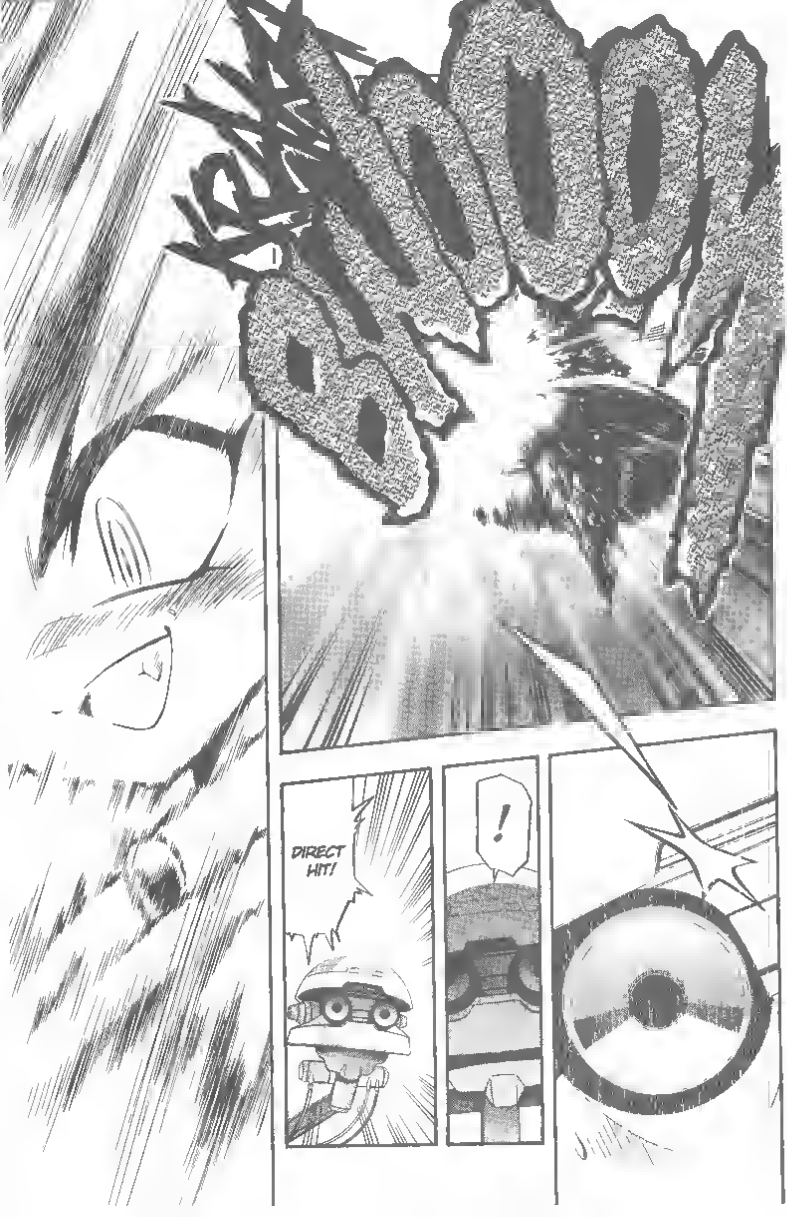

KRAK-OOM
DIRECT HIT!
!

I'VE GOT THREE MORE FOR YOU!
LOOK SHARP, OR YOU'RE SCRAP METAL!
YEEK!
ALL BEAM CANNONS, STANDBY!
VMMMMMMMM
THERE WE GO!
VMMMMM
NO HALF-ASSED JOBS FOR US!
READY... SET... FIRE!
KAKOOOOOM
HISHIMA, DO IT!
YES!

!
I--I EXPECTED THIS FROM THE POWER OF JURAI! YOUR MIGHT IS EVEN GREATER THAN THEY SAY
W-WOULDN'T IT BE DANGEROUS TO CONTINUE ...?
NO, I SHOULD REACH ENLIGHTEN-MENT ANY TIME NOW.
SSSSHHH
A-ARE YOU SURE?
I DON'T WANT TO KILL YOU!
IT'S PROBABLY ALL RIGHT.
THE AUTHOR WOULDN'T LET ME DIE AT THIS POINT!
BESIDES, MY DEATH WOULD CERTAINLY MAKE THE STORY MORE DRAMATIC
OOOF!
GIMME A BREAK, GOHGE!
OH, QUIT YOUR FUSSING! ♡
C'MON, TENCHI-- ONE MORE TIME!

MREOW!
YWEU!
CRNCH
OH NO!!
FWOOP!
MYOW?
G-GOHGEI, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
UNGH..

CHAKKA CHAKKA
OH, WASHU! HOW IS MINAGI?! IS SHE OKAY?
HHHHOLDD ONNNN!
Heh
POP!
CHAKKA CHAKKA
OH! THANK YOU! THANK YOU, THANK YOU!
I SSSAIDD TTTO SSTOPP!

SHE'S TAKING QUITE SOME TIME IN THERE..
OH, NO.
C-COULD IT BE ..?!
MIHOSHI! WHY DO YOU HAVE SUCH AN OMINOUS IMAGINATION?!
SOB

WASHU !!

SHWUUP
!

WHAAAM!
WHAAAM!
WHAT WAS THAT?!
I HAVE NO IDEA..
SCHIK!
SCHUK!
I'D ALMOST REACHED MY GOAL, TOO!
TRULY REGRETTABLE..
SHK!
SCHUK!

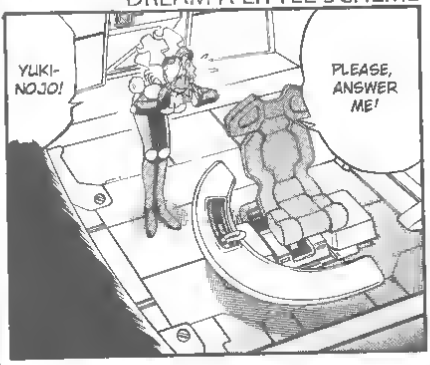
BEEP! EEP!
BEEP! EEP!
WHAT'S UP, MIHOSHI?
OH, MY-- A CALL FROM YUKINOJO
I GUESS THE COM LINK IS BACK UP.
eep!
YUKINOJO! WHAT'S THE MATTER? HELLO?!
MIHOSHI! WHAT'S HAPPENED?!
HUH ?

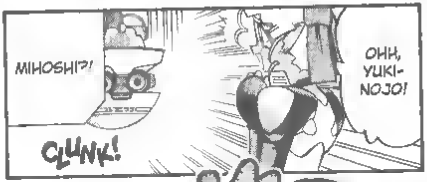
WHAT COULD HAVE DONE THAT...?
THE CULMINATION OF YEARS OF METATECHNOLOGY...
NOTHING SHOULD SO EASILY BEAT THAT SHIP--NOTHING!
WHICH MEANS IT MUST HAVE RECEIVED AN ABSURDLY CRUSHING BLOW...
GOHGE!
I'M HAVING ANOTHER ONE OF MY REALLY BAD FEELINGS...

SHUNK
AYEKA! WHAT HAPPENED?
TENCHI...
UMMM... A-ACTUALLY
B-BUT...
HOW...?!
YUKINOJO!!

ODD..
L-L..
BOOIINNG!
..MIHOSHI!
FWOOP
OUCH
THE WAY THE SHIP WAS DESTROYED..
IT'S AS IF THEY DELIBERATELY AVOIDED ATTACKING THE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM
SAY, YUKI-NOJO...
WHO DID THIS TO YOU?
W-WELL..
HERE! TAKE A LOOK AT THIS!
OWW!

OH, DEAR! THIS IS QUITE A LOT OF DAMAGE...
OOOOF!
SKRIK


YUKI-NOJO!
PLEASE, ANSWER ME!


MIHOSHI?!
CLUNK!
OHH, YUKI-NOJO!

I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE ALL RIGHT! ♡
tWOP!

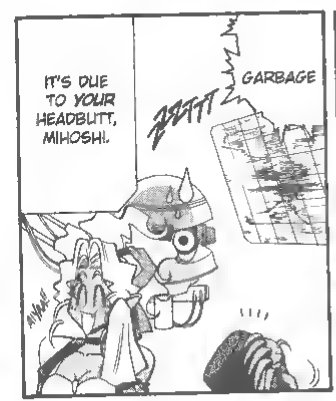
WAAK!

SKREK TEEH
HMM
SHE TAKES ALL THE GOOD PARTS, DOESN'T SHE?

..HOW RUDE..!
MY NAME ..IS YUME . THE GREATEST..!
WASHU, WHAT'S THE MATTER?
...
I KNEW IT !!
I TRIED TO ERASE IT FROM MY THOUGHTS AS MUCH AS I COULD-- BUT I SHOULD HAVE REALIZED SOONER...
WORST MISTAKE OF MY LIFE!
WASHU! ARE YOU LISTENING?
WASHU!
LOOK!
THIS IS THE IMPORTANT PART..

LOOK...
THIS MUST BE THE TREE MINAGI SAW
WHOA!
A TREE-- FLYING THROUGH SPACE?

A SUPERGENIUS SEES THE DETAILS! SEE THOSE MACHINES DEPLOYING A SHIELD AROUND THE TREE?
TUT, TUT, YUKINOJO! SUCH BAD VIDEO RESOLUTION. .


IT'S DUE TO YOUR HEADBUTT, MIHOSHI.
GARBAGE
AHHH!

SAY, YUKINOJO-- CAN THE SOUND GET ANY CLEARER?
THE SOUND?
I'LL TRY, WASHU.

LIGHT
HAWK
WINGS
?!

EEK! WE GOT SHOT!
YES .AND I SHOT BACK AS SOON AS I RECOVERED, BUT..
WEEEEE
WELL, AT LEAST YOU GOT IN A DIRECT HIT.
NO, LOOK! RIGHT AFTER THIS!
!!
BWOOSH
WHAT THE HELL?!

ONE HOUR AGO...
AT GALAXY POLICE HQ!
PHEW!
WELL, WE'RE DONE FOR THE DAY

Tales of Tenchi #2

DISTURBING THE PEACE

BRRRING
I HARDLY EVER GET OFF ON TIME! TODAY I GET TO SPEND TIME WITH MY FAMILY.
MMM, NICE COFFEE
CHIEF!
HMM? WHAT IS IT?
AN EMERGENCY CALL FROM OFFICER MIHOSHI'S SHIP
OFF ON TIME!
JUST WHEN THINGS WERE GOING SO WELL!
Sob!
PERHAPS YOU COULD STAY LATE..
Bye-Bye!

HI.
HELLO! ♡
SAY, ARE YOU FREE TONIGHT?
I FOUND A NICE PASTRY SHOP. ♡
SOUNDS GOOD! I'M ALMOST DONE...I JUST NEED TO DROP THIS OFF AT THE CHIEF'S OFFICE, SO WAIT FOR ME OUTSIDE, 'KAY?
HASN'T THE CHIEF SEEMED IN AN AWFULLY GOOD MOOD LATELY?
YEAH! AND HIS APPETITE IS UP, TOO!
SEE YA LATER
BYE!
OKAY... HERE IT IS, CHIEF
YOU'VE BEEN KIND OF HAPPY LATELY.
DID SOME-THING GOOD HAPPEN?
HA HA-- NO, NOT QUITE
IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE NOTHING BAD HAS HAPPENED.

WE'VE FOUND WHAT APPEARS TO BE THE MISSING TREE, BIZEN!
I'M TRANS-MITTING THE DATA NOW!
WWWW

LIFE IS SO UNFAIR...
ADMINISTRATORS CAN'T JOIN UNIONS AND CAN'T GET OVERTIME...
beep peep
LET'S SEE..
!
WHAT ?!
THIS IS-- !!!
WHAM
ACCESS CODE 0223898887!
DNA AND ASTRAL PATTERNS ARE CLEARED

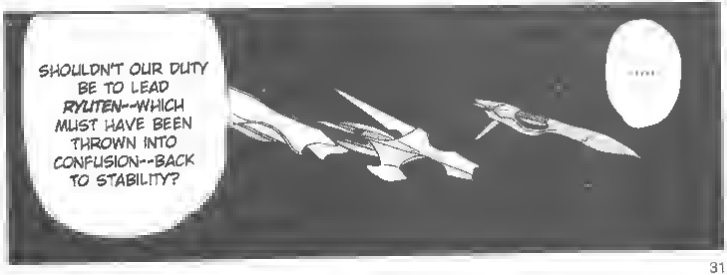
LISTEN UP, RYO-OH-KI!
MYA?
GET SET FOR DEPART-URE!
WAIT A SEC, AYEKA .
WHAT IS IT?! SURELY YOU'RE NOT GOING TO DISAGREE!
CHAKA
CHAKA
NO, NO-- THAT'S NOT IT..
skrtch:
DO YOU KNOW WHERE BIZEN IS?

IT SEEMS WE'VE *UNDER-ESTIMATED* THEIR ABILITIES
I DIDN'T THINK THAT EVEN *BIZEN* WOULD BE ABLE TO FORM THE *LIGHT HAWK WINGS.*
BUT BIZEN'S A *SECOND GENERATION* TREE, SO IT'S *POSSIBLE,* ISN'T IT?
OH, SURE-- IT WAS **ALWAYS** IN THE REALM OF POSSIBILITY
KEEPING THE TREE'S WILL ALIVE WOULD BE **HARD ENOUGH...**
BUT I NEVER THOUGHT THEY'D GET *THIS* FAR.
IF THIS IS TRUE .
...THEN WE'VE NO CHOICE BUT TO TAKE *ACTION!*

MEANWHILE, ON THE PLANET OF JURAI--
...I SEE! SO IT WAS INDEED BIZEN..
FUNAHO, WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
HMM, LET'S SEE..
I WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MISAKI'S OPINION

WASHU, MAY I?
WHAT IS IT?
CAN YOU LET US GO TO RYUTEN?
EVEN IF I WAS BEING MANIPULATED, I SHOULD BE CONDEMNED FOR WHAT I'VE DONE.. I MUST RETURN THE POST OF THE OFFICIAL CARVER TO THE TRUE SUCCESSOR
TATETSUKI..

...THIS MATTER OF BIZEN, IT..
I FINALLY SEE WHAT I SHOULD DO, TAKEBE!
ALL OF THIS IS MY FAULT! AND THINGS HAVE TO BE SET RIGHT.


SHOULDN'T OUR DUTY BE TO LEAD RYUTEN--WHICH MUST HAVE BEEN THROWN INTO CONFUSION--BACK TO STABILITY?
.....

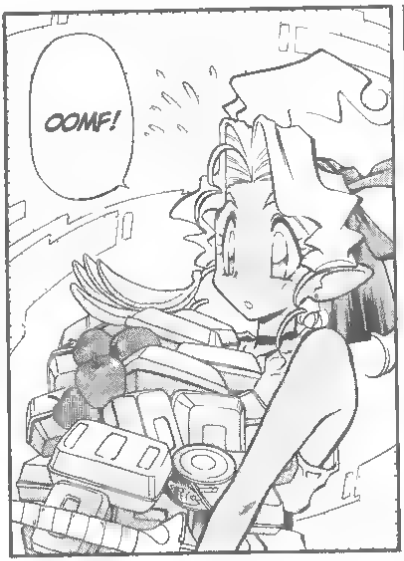
ASAHI HAS GROWN TO BE STRONG..
AS A FATHER, I DON'T KNOW HOW I SHOULD FEEL!!

OH! WHAT I THINK? ♡
SURELY YOU CAN GUESS IT!
I WANT TO SEE LITTLE BIZEN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!
ISN'T THAT TRUE FOR YOU, TOO?
tee hee
YES. IT IS.
HAAAAAAAAAA

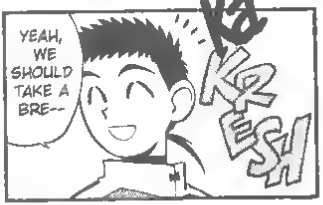
WASHU, HOW EXACTLY ARE WE GOING TO GO AFTER BIZEN?
WELL, NOW THAT RADAR'S USELESS AGAIN, THERE'S NOT MUCH WE CAN DO, I'M AFRAID.
I SEE.
IF WE ASSUME THAT THERE WAS NO REASON TO ATTACK A GP SHIP, WE CAN ALSO REASON THAT IT WAS MERELY AN UNFORTUNATE COINCIDENCE THAT YUKINOJO AND BIZEN CROSSED PATHS IN THE FIRST PLACE
OUR BEST BET IS TO FOLLOW THE STRAIGHTEST ROUTE BETWEEN RYUTEN AND MIHOSHI'S SHIP

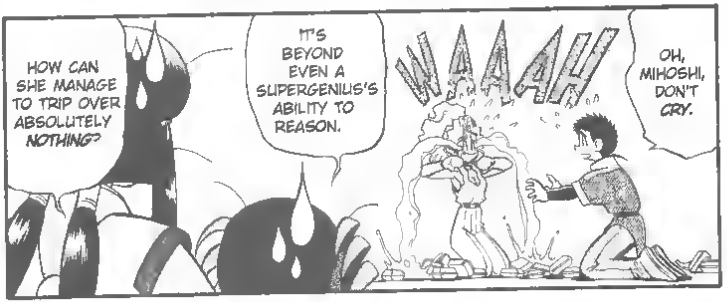
I AM INDEBTED TO YOU FOR SAVING ME AT YATSUKA, BUT, ABOVE ALL ELSE, I HAVE A PROMISE TO KEEP WITH MUSHIMA I PLAN TO ACCOMPANY TENCHI'S PARTY.
FATHER, I SHALL GO WITH GOHGEI.
ASAHI...
ASAHI?! NO! YOU WOULD JUST GET IN THE WAY.
I AM THE ONE WHO INVOLVED EVERYONE IN THIS.
I MUST AT LEAST HELP THEM-- UNTIL THE END!
GOHGEI.
..I LEAVE ASAHI TO YOU.
NOW, TAKEBE..
AH! TATETSUKI!
TAKEBE IS HERE AS WELL!
YAAAA
.. OUR JOB STARTS NOW.

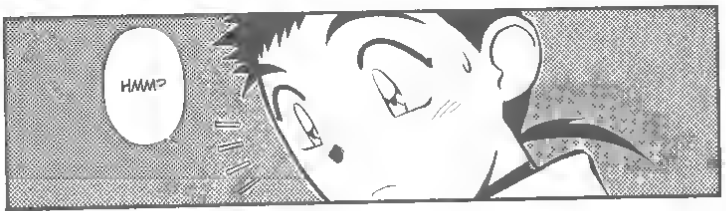
LOOK! IT'S THE SWORD I GOT FROM YATSUKA'S SWORD MASTER
I WAS WONDERING WHERE IT WENT.
MIHOSHI, YOU FOUND IT FOR ME.
THANK YOU!
OH! THAT SWORD?
RYOKO WAS USING IT IN THE KITCHEN
WE SHOULD'VE KNOWN
Heeee!
KEEEE
KEEEE


OOMF!

MIHOSHI, WHAT IS ALL THAT?
AREN'T YOU ALL HUNGRY?
I'M STARVING!


YEAH, WE SHOULD TAKE A BRE--
KA KE ESH!


HOW CAN SHE MANAGE TO TRIP OVER ABSOLUTELY NOTHING?
IT'S BEYOND EVEN A SUPERGENIUS'S ABILITY TO REASON.
WAAAH
OH, MIHOSHI, DON'T CRY.


HMM?

OUR EXPERI-MENT WORKED!
WE'LL GO TO THE NEXT PHASE
OF COURSE
BUT YUME...
.. SOMEONE IS CLOSING IN ON US, EVEN THOUGH WE ARE CONTINUING THE JAMMING WAVE.
!
I SEE.
PRETTY GOOD.. WASHU.

MEAN-
WHILE,
ON
EARTH...
KEEEEEEEEEEE
WELL!
A THREATENING
MOVE BY THE
THIRD HIELZEN
SUPER SWORD...
THIS
COULDN'T
BE
GOOD...
KEEEEEEE

THEY CALL IT "KAGEBA," THE SHADOW BLADE! IT WATCHES OVER THE TWIN BLADES AND, IF THE NEED SHOULD ARISE, RESONATES TO SHOW ITS POSITION.
SO YOU THINK THE SWORD MINAGI SAW WAS THIS "SHADOW BLADE"?
KEEE
WELL, WE'VE GOT NO RADAR! MAYBE THIS IS THE NEXT BEST THING .
A SWORD WITH A WILL, EH—?
LET'S GET A MOVE ON!
EEEEEE

AS YOU WISH!
WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
DISCONTINUE THE JAMMING AT ONCE! IT'S USELESS NOW!
PREPARE TO WELCOME AN OLD FRIEND!
YES, YATSUKA'S OLD SWORD MASTER TOLD ME
A THIRD SWORD EXISTS, BESIDES THE TWIN BLADES...
"THE THIRD SWORD" ...?
SHE-ELF

THE SWORD..!
IT SEEMS TO BE CALLING EVEN STRONGER NOW..
YES, THE SOUND INCREASED ALL OF A SUDDEN.
AHHH! AS I THOUGHT-- THE JAMMING WAVE HAS BEEN TURNED OFF.
SECRET TECHNIQUE 1. TYPING FASTER THAN THE HUMAN EYE!
KLAKETA!
KLAK
KLAK
KLAK
KLAK
KLAK
BLEEP!
BINGO!
!?
THE TREE HAS COME TO A STOP. SHE'S AS RESOLUTE AS ALWAYS
IT SEEMS THEY'VE NOTICED OUR APPROACH AND TURNED OFF THE INTERFERENCE, NOW THAT IT'S USELESS!

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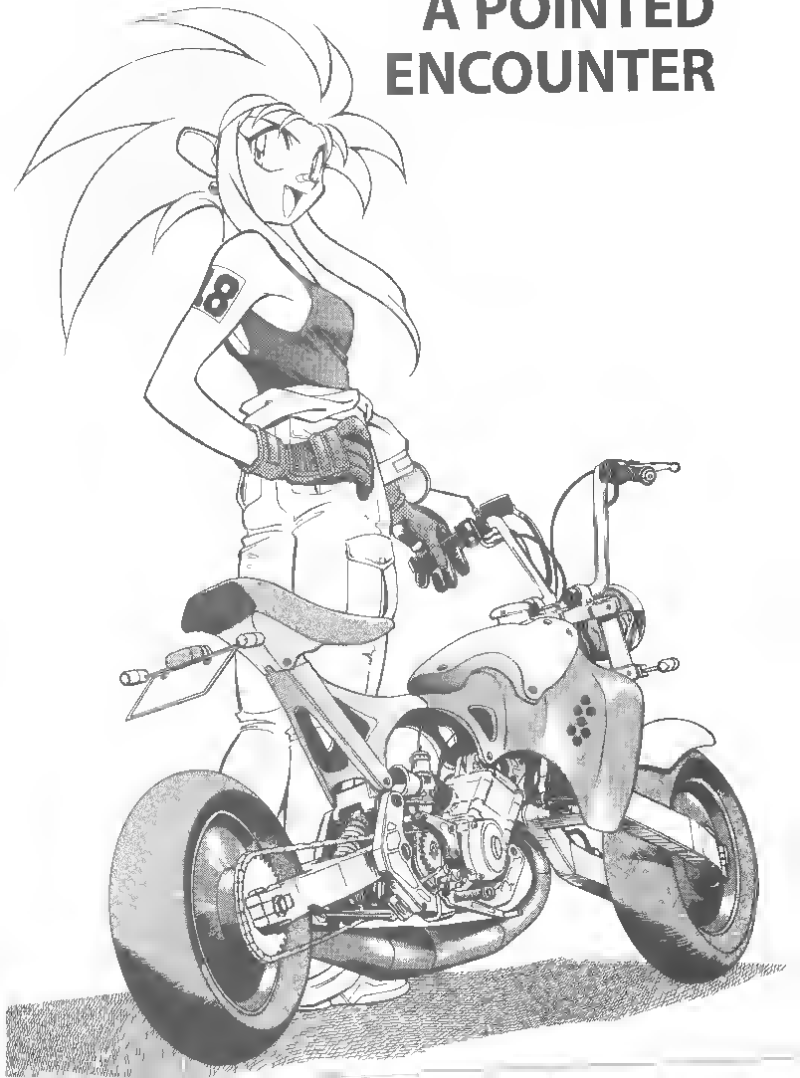
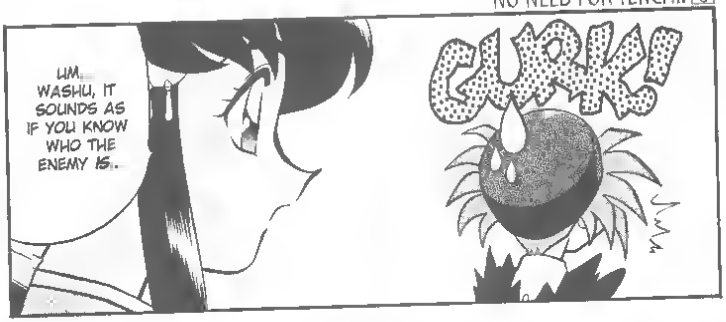
A POINTED ENCOUNTER



OH, ALL RIGHT. WE'RE CHASING A CLASSMATE FROM MY ACADEMY DAYS --A KID CALLED YUME
WE USED TO FIGHT OVER THE TOP SPOT IN THE CLASS. ♡
UM. BUT WHAT ABOUT DR. CLAY?
OH, THAT?
IGNORE IT.
BUT YUME IS DIFFER-ENT!
IF IT WEREN'T FOR ME, THE TITLE OF "GREATEST GENIUS SCIENTIST IN THE UNIVERSE" WOULD'VE BEEN HERS.
IF SHE'S SUCH A GREAT SCIENTIST, I CAN UNDERSTAND ABOUT THE LIGHT HAWK WINGS.
DON'T BE RIDICU-LOUS.
THAT'S THE SECRET OF ALL SECRETS.
EVEN I'M STILL IN THE RESEARCH PHASE


UM... WASHU, IT SOUNDS AS IF YOU KNOW WHO THE ENEMY IS..
GURAK!!

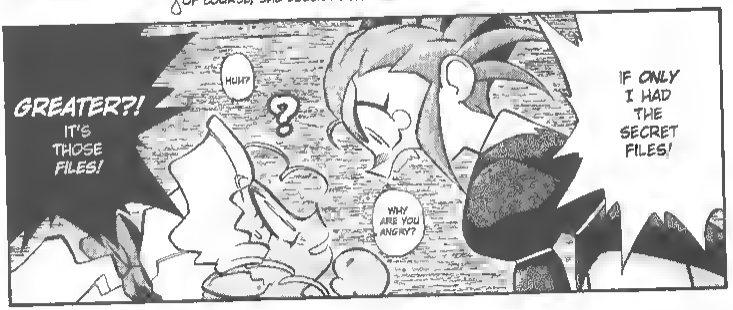
!?
MASTER YUME, WHAT IS THIS STRANGE SOUND?!
THE SWORD-- SOME SORT OF HIGH FREQUENCY VIBRATION...
KEEE
EEEEEE

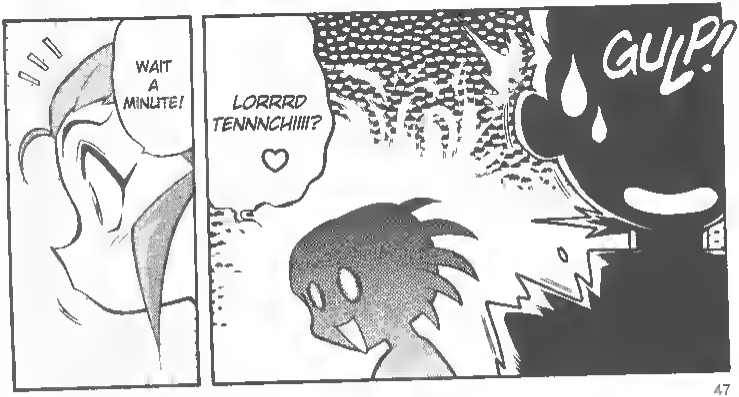
I HEARD THAT A HIELZEN SUPER SWORD TEMPERED BY A MASTER CRAFTSMAN EVEN HARBORS A

IT'S BEEN A WHILE...
SINCE I'VE FELT SO... EXCITED

U-UM. I--
I JUST REMEMBERED AN IMPORTANT MEETING.
WPSSH KWPSH
IT'S STILL NOT TOO LATE! I'M SURE YOU WON'T MIND HELPING IN MY LIGHT HAWK WING INVESTIGATION!
MWAF! MWAF!
heh heh heh
WASHU !!
OH, COME ON.
IT WAS A JOKE.
WASHU, WE'RE APPROACHING THE TARGET! BRAKING NOW
I CAN DETECT NO HOSTILE INTENTIONS.

!
OH
THEN THIS YUME MUST BE GREATER THAN WASHU!
WOW!
GREATER THAN WASHU?
OF COURSE, SHE DOESN'T MEAN IT


GREATER?! IT'S THOSE FILES!
HUH?
?
WHY ARE YOU ANGRY?
IF ONLY I HAD THE SECRET FILES!

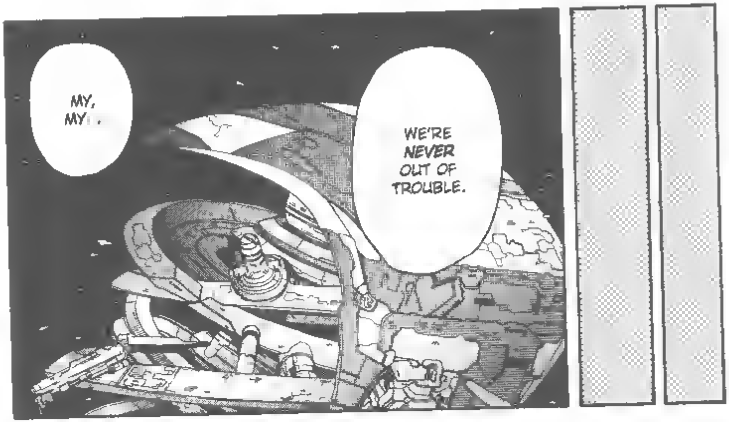

WAIT A MINUTE!
LORRRD TENNNCH!!!!?
GULP!

SO I GUESS YOU'RE NOT CHANGING YOUR MIND.
GOHGEI, HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN YOUR PROMISE?
IT WAS WHEN I WAS YOUNG, BUT YOU SAID YOU'D ALWAYS BE THERE TO PROTECT ME.
PLEASE... TAKE ME WITH YOU
BEING BESIDE YOU-- THAT'S SAFER THAN ANY DANGER.
ASAHI . .
OTHER-WISE, I. .
I ...
ASAHI ...

THE ROYAL TREE BIZEN...
RMMMM
ZMMM
ASAHI...
AFTER I LEAVE I WANT YOU TO RETREAT AS FAR AS POSSIBLE.
I DON'T THINK SO. ♡

THIS DOES HAVE TO DO WITH A ROYAL TREE, AFTER ALL.

THE JURA! ROYAL FAMILY WOULDN'T WANT TO BE BEATEN TO IT BY GP .



GP HQ
DIVISION HEAD! I HEARD YOU RECEIVED A TRANSMISSION FROM MIHOSHI. WHAT WAS IT?
OH, TECHNICALLY IT'S FROM YUKINOJO, SO PLEASE DON'T WORRY.
THE CONDITION OF THE TRANSMISSION WAS RATHER POOR, DUE TO SOME PROBLEM OR OTHER...
IT'S STILL UNDER INVESTI-GATION.
PHEW... THAT'S A RELIEF.
I THOUGHT IT HAD TO DO WITH MIHOSHI AGAIN.
HA, HA! COME ON, CHIEF-- YOU WORRY TOO MUCH.

I SEE..!
THE RESONANCE HAS STOPPED.
twish
swish
SO THIS IS THE FABLED "SHADOW BLADE"
SWAK!
TO THINK THAT THE JURAI PRINCE OWNS ONE OF THE MATES.
..A STRANGE TWIST OF FATE..
SHAK
IT'S BEEN FIVE THOUSAND YEARS OR SO..
HASN'T IT, YUME..?

VMM VMM
VMM
VMM
SHAAAAAOOOOOOO

♡ SHIFTING WEIGHT AT SUPER SPEED--TEE HEE

BUT YOU'RE NOT THE MAIN CHARACTER RIGHT NOW.
RIGHT, WASHU?
NOW THAT'S NOT FAIR TO TENCHI ..
SORRY ABOUT THAT!
BUT IT'S TRUE--- WHEN I SAW MUSHIMA'S PARTS, I GUESSED YOU'D BE ENTERING THE STORY

HEH ..I HAD A FEELING YOU WERE THE ONE WHO WAS AFTER ME..
ANYWAY, TO CELEBRATE OUR REUNION ..
SWISH

HEH, HEH..
IT WOULD SEEM YOUR SACRED GENIUS FIST HASN'T GOTTEN RUSTY.
HAHAHA
WHY, THANK YOU, YUME..
...IT'S STILL A MATCH FOR YOUR GALACTIC BRAIN STANCE!
HAHAHA
LET ME ASK ONE THING.
WHAT'S THE POINT?
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO WITH THE LIGHT HAWK WINGS?
URRGH

-SIGH- THIS IS STARTING TO BECOME A TOTALLY DIFFERENT MANGA!
A CROSS-ARM BLOCK AGAINST A REVERSE PUNCH! WHAT ADVANCED MANEUVERS!
SPLENDID, WASHU!
WHAT ARE YOU BABBLING ABOUT?
!!
FWMM MSH
WHIRR

TAKE A LOOK AROUND--
YOU'VE ALREADY DRUNK EVERYONE UNDER THE TABLE!
AND I'M THE ONE WHO HAS TO CLEAN UP!
HOW UTTERLY PATHETIC.
MY, DON'T THEY LOOK COMFORTABLE?
GLURP
Sigh
BUT GETTING BACK TO OUR LITTLE CONVERSATION...
THE LOSER IS THE SLAVE OF THE WINNER, RIGHT?
IT IS AN [redacted] ORDINARY IDEA FOR A CONTEST
YOU OF ALL PEOPLE WOULDN'T THINK OF BALKING WOULD YOU
THE TAKING OF JURAI, EH?

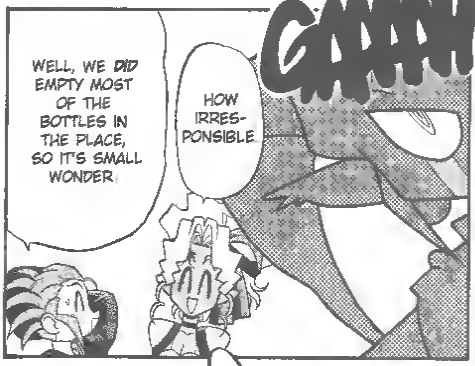
BEING SEALED AWAY BY KAGATO GAVE YOU SELECTIVE AMNESIA, DIDN'T IT!?
YOU IDIOT!
?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
FINE...
I'LL MAKE YOU REMEMBER!
BECAUSE I'LL CERTAINLY NEVER FORGET-- THE PARTY AFTER THE ACADEMY DEBATES...
SHLURP!
KUMP!
NO END IN SIGHT, IS THERE?
OF COURSE NOT.
BARTENDER! GET ME ANOTHER BOTTLE.
GIMME A BREAK!

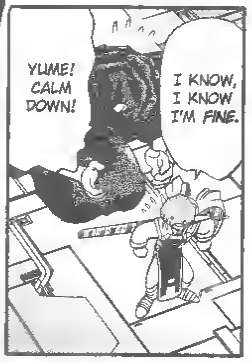
THE MATCH BEGINS.. NOW!
YOUR MEMORY GETTING CLEARER?
:heh:
...AND THAT'S HOW IT WAS.
WAS THAT THE TIME WHEN..
OHHH!
pwap!
HMM
GRRR

tee hee..
ALL RIGHT...
I ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE.
WHA!?
REALLY?!
BE GENTLE WITH ME, THOUGH!
gah gah
OH PUHLEASE! THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT!
I--I JUST ADMIRE YOUR BRAINS, OKAY?
NOTHING LOWER!
SO, ANY OTHER RULES?
TH-THAT'S FINE THEN!
HMM? LEAVING ALREADY?
THUNK!
NOPE...
gulp!
...WINNER TAKES ALL!

TH-THIS IS RIDICULOUS! YOU CAN'T USE THE JURAI ROYAL FAMILY AS AN OBJECT AT STAKE IN A BET!
OH, SHUT UP!
THERE'D NEVER BE A COUP IF REVOLUTIONARIES WOULD JUST STOP BECAUSE YOU SAID SO!
YOU FOOL!!
YOU FOOL
FOOL
FOOL
EVEN SO. .
WHAT?
YOU'LL STILL HAVE TO STOP.

HAVE YOU REMEMBERED?
WELL, THE BARTENDER WOKE ME UP, AND .
HUH?
WHAT AM I DOING SLEEPING HERE?
YOU DON'T REMEMBER?
WHAT ABOUT THE WAGER WITH YUME...?
AAGH!


WELL, WE DID EMPTY MOST OF THE BOTTLES IN THE PLACE, SO IT'S SMALL WONDER.
HOW IRRES-PONSIBLE
GAAAH


YUME! CALM DOWN!
I KNOW, I KNOW I'M FINE.

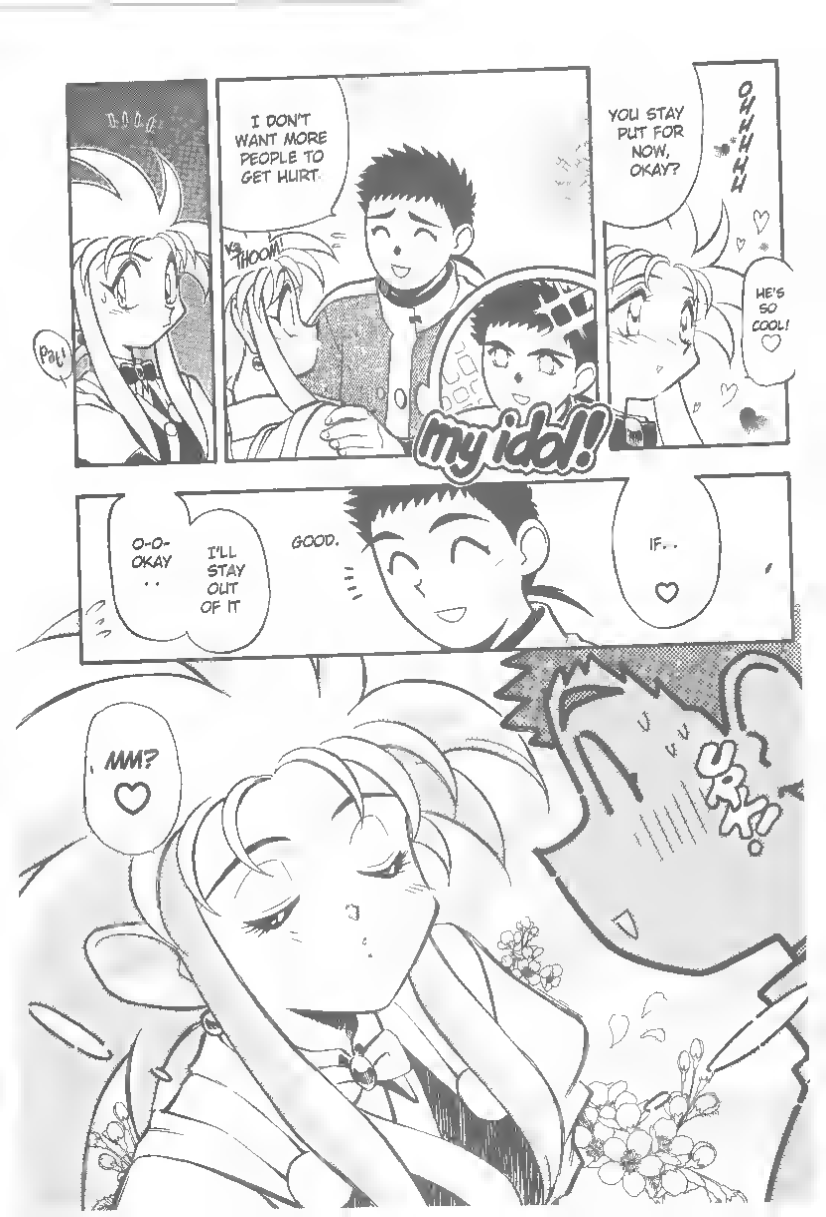
ANY WAY!
A PROMISE IS A PROMISE!
I WON'T LET YOU BACK OUT NOW!
KA-BOOM!

HMM.
ALL RIGHT, I ACCEPT.
HISHIMA !!
YES
YOUR TURN.
HUH?
NOT YUME HER-SELF?
HA HA HA
I THOUGHT SO.
CAN I ASK SOME-THING?
COMPARED TO MUSHIMA, HISHIMA IS.
STRONGER!!

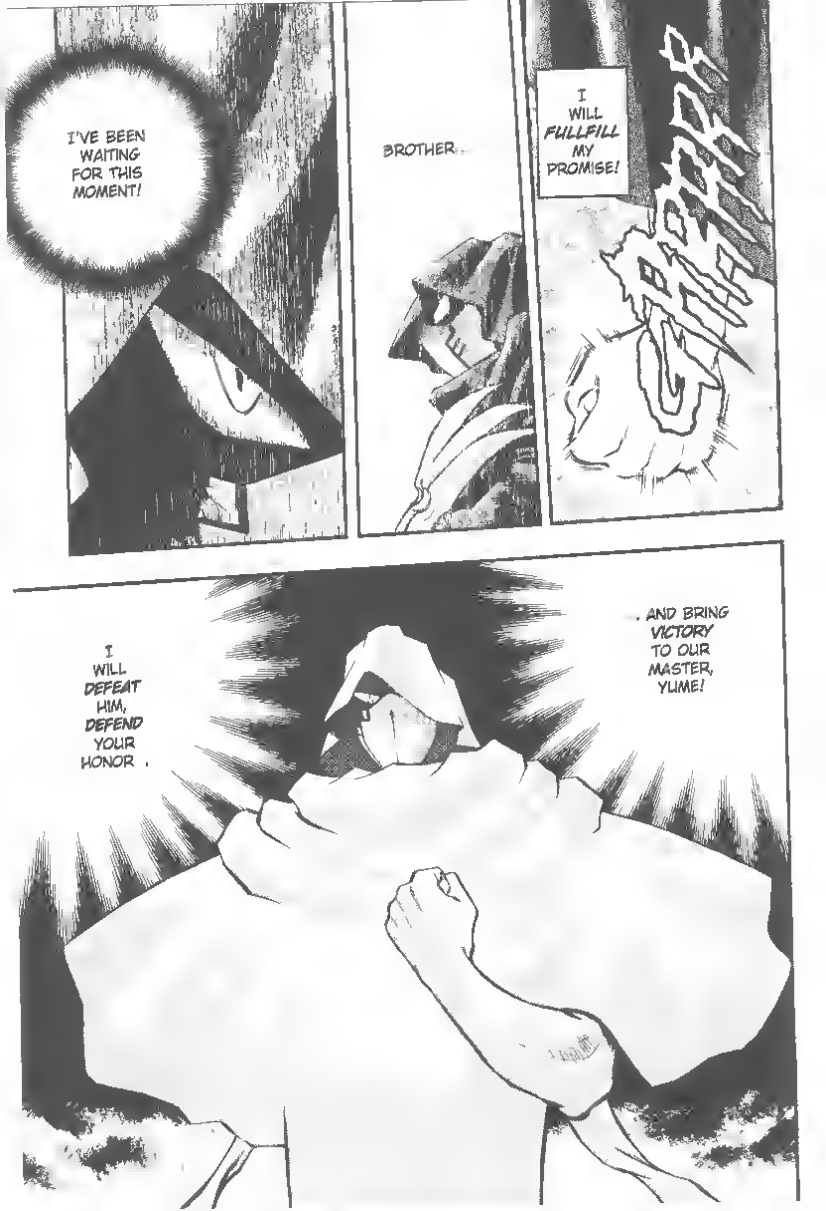
I AGREED TO YOUR WAGER..
THIS TIME YOU'LL AGREE TO MINE.
SO YOU'RE TELLING ME TO STOP THE OVERTHROW OF JURAI IF I LOSE?
AND WHAT IF I WIN?
THEN I'LL BECOME YOUR SLAVE, LIKE YOU WANTED.
FINE.
WHAT'S THE CONTEST?
IT'LL HAVE TO BE BY FORCE!
WE'LL SETTLE THIS MAN-TO-MAN!
W-WAIT, WASHU..

NOW JUST A SEC!
THIS IS WHERE I SHOULD SHOW MY STUFF!
HAH!
I'M AFRAID NOT, RYOKO
HUH?!
WHAM!
POK!
IF MINAGI COULDN'T WIN, YOU DON'T STAND A CHANCE IN YOUR PRESENT CONDITION.
I HAD TO TAKE HALF OF YOUR BLOOD AND QUITE A BIT OF MARROW TO TREAT MINAGI.
SHRUPPA SHRUPPA WHUD!
URRRGH !!!!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
GOHGEI, WAIT.

!
BINK!
YOU, GOHGEI!
YOU'LL FIGHT WITH ME!
UNDER-STOOD!
GOHGEI...
->SIGH<- SORRY ABOUT THIS.
I COULD DEAL WITH YUME, BUT HISHIMA..
HA, HA-- DON'T WORRY. IT'S ALL PART OF MY TRAINING.


Pal!
I DON'T WANT MORE PEOPLE TO GET HURT.
THOOM!
YOU STAY PUT FOR NOW, OKAY?
OHHHH
HE'S SO COOL!
my idol!
O-O-OKAY..
I'LL STAY OUT OF IT
GOOD.
IF..
MM?
URK!

I
I'LL FIGHT TOO!
TENCHI!
BUT TENCHI! YOU'RE THE PRINCE OF JURAI...
THAT'S ALL THE MORE REASON ...
LEAVE THIS TO ME...
MAIN CHARACTER!!!
IT'S NOT LIKE I LONG FOR COMBAT BUT IF JURAI IS IN DANGER, I...
I CAN'T JUST SIT HERE!
TENCHI ..
I'LL DO IT!
OH, RYOKO...


I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS MOMENT!
BROTHER...
I WILL FULLFILL MY PROMISE!
GRRRR
I WILL DEFEAT HIM, DEFEND YOUR HONOR.
...AND BRING VICTORY TO OUR MASTER, YUME!

KAA
FWAK
WHAT THE HELL WAS THAT FOR?!
WOULD YOU QUIT RUTTING ALL THE TIME?!
S-STOP IT, YOU TWO
WHUD!
OH MY-- TENCHI! I'M SORRY!
AYEKA! IT'S YOUR FAULT FOR DUCKING!
RMBRMMB
RMBRMMB

SHAAAAAAA
BA
DOOM
GOHGEI, YOU KNOW-- I CAN GO FIRST.
LORD TENCHI, THIS IS A FACE-OFF.
I...UH-- BUCKLE UNDER PRESSURE, SO LET ME GO FIRST.

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FIRST STRIKE

!!
TAKASHIMA . . . YOU!
DON'T! HE DEFEATED MUSHIMA.
YOU CAN'T POSSIBLY ___!
I
I W-WILL AVENGE MY BROTHER.
T-- TAKA-SHIMA, YOU--
OH MY GOD!
OH MY GOD!
--YOU CAN TALK?!
BWOM!

UM... LORD GOHGE!
M-MAY YOU BE FAVORED..
...BY ALL THE GODS OF BATTLE! PLEASE COME BACK SAFELY.
tmp
HISHIMA ALONE SHOULD BE ENOUGH ON MY SIDE.
TOOM
GO WIN IT.
GLOM!

TAKA-SHIMA!
GAH.
W..
WOW
HE--HE'S STRONGER THAN WHEN HE FOUGHT MUSHIMA?!
DAMN YOU!
HOW DARE YOU SHAME ME!
YOU WORTHLESS BUCKET OF BOLTS!
WHAK
THUD
THUD

SWAAAAH
GOHGE!!
LOOK OUT!
WOMP
!!

THAT'S RIGHT..
WE EXIST ONLY FOR MASTER YUME
IMP
EVEN IF OUR BODIES ARE TO BE TORN APART...
OUR FLESH DIS-PERSED IN TINY ATOMS...
HEY! NOW COME ON..
YOU GUYS..
IF MASTER YUME WISHES, WE WILL MAKE THE IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBLE!
WOOSH!

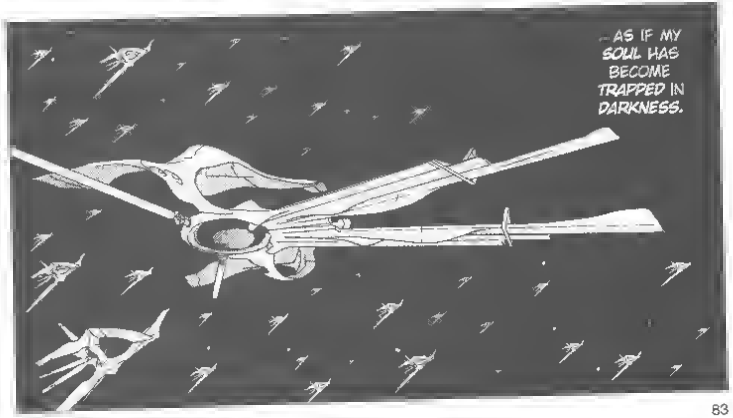
YUME!
YOU ARE SO ROTTEN!
HMPH!
SH--SHUT UP, YOU!
NOT FAIR? THAT'S WHAT I'D LIKE TO SAY!
NOW LISTEN.. THAT'S NOT FAIR.
HE'S ONE OF YOUR FRIENDS--AND HE FOUGHT FOR YOU!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT??
GAH!!
LEAVE THAT PILE OF RUBBISH!
FRIENDS?! HA! THESE GUYS ARE JUST PAWNS!
A LIFE-TIME OF DREAMS
WHETHER I BREAK 'EM OR NOT IS MY BUSINESS!
...RUINED WITH ONE BLOW?!

VMM
VMM
VMM
TEE HEE HEE!
THERE'S THAT, TOO, OF COURSE.
BUT?
LADY MISAKI, YOU SEEM HAPPY.
PLEASED THAT YOU'RE GOING TO SEE BIZEN?
ONCE WE RECOVER BIZEN, LET'S STOP BY EARTH! CAN WE? CAN WE?
I WANT TO SEE SASAMI AND THE GANG!
SEE, I GOT ALL THESE PRESENTS!
YOU NEVER CHANGE, DO YOU?

SHOOK
!!
HE-- SO FAST--
!!
KRA

WH...
WHERE AM I?
SUB
WHERE'D EVERY-BODY GO?
SASAMI! ♡
MOTHER!
AND MOTHER FUNAHO!
OH, MOTHER!
IT'S SO GOOD TO SEE YOU! ♡

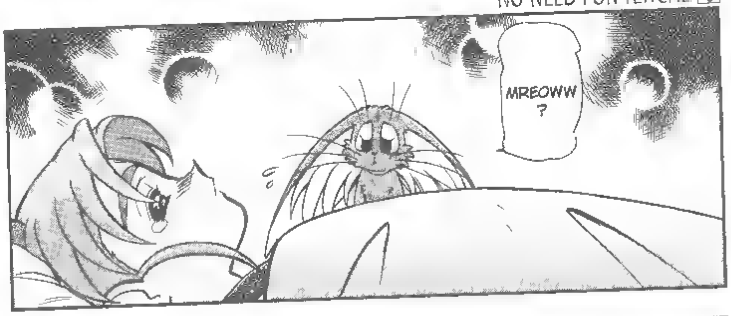
WHY DO I FEEL SO UNEASY?
AS LONG AS WE'RE LEADING JURAI'S FLEET, THE GREATEST FLEET IN THE UNIVERSE, I SHOULDN'T FEEL EVEN A DROP OF ANXIETY..
IT'S AS IF..

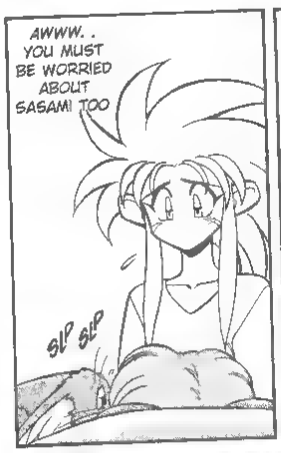

...AS IF MY SOUL HAS BECOME TRAPPED IN DARKNESS.

NO! NO!
STOP, STOP, STOP!
SASAMI ?!
MYA MREOW!
SWUP
!!
Z
phew!

!!
ZZWOOSH
THEY... THEY'RE BEING [illegible] INTO THE DARKNESS!
RMMM
ZRR
EW
IT CAN'T BE... IT CAN'T BE!

LORD GOHGEI!
JUMP!
MY GOD!
HIS SPEED SURPASSES THAT OF MUSHIMA!

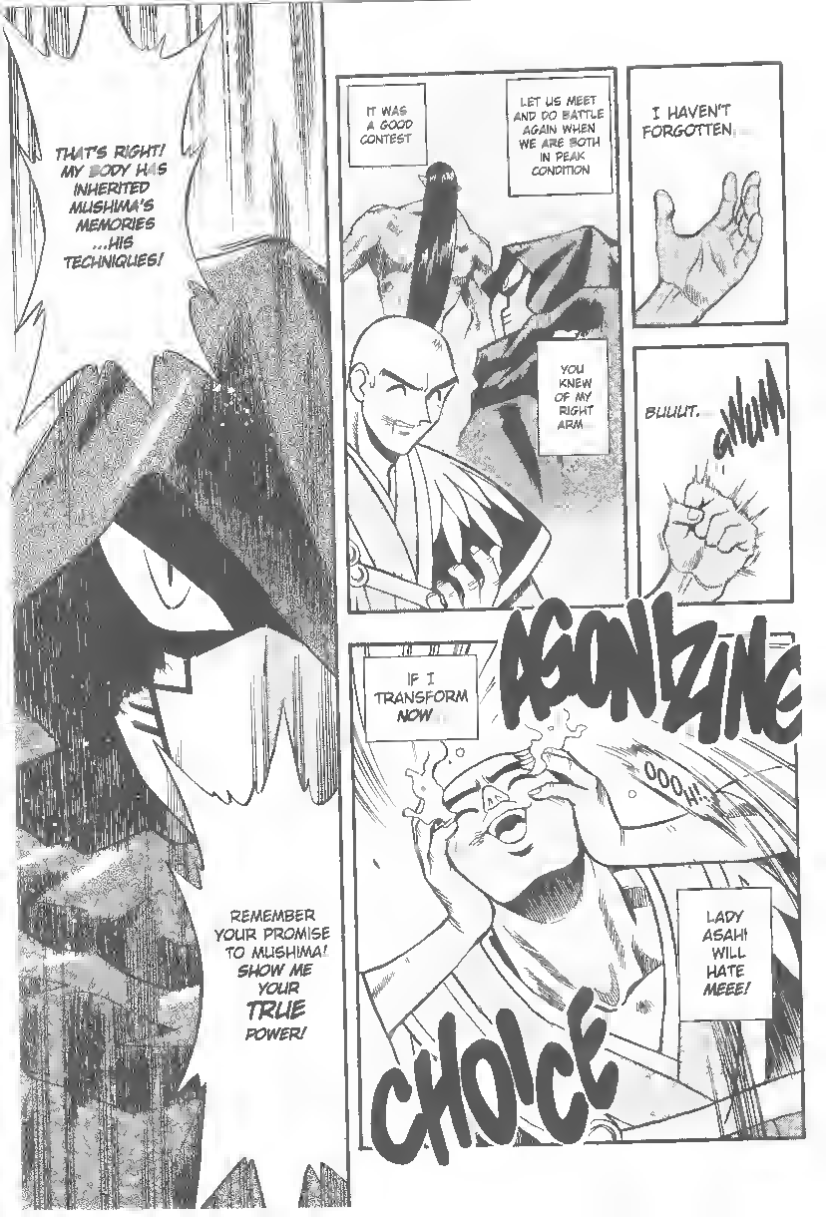

MREOWW ?


AWWW.. YOU MUST BE WORRIED ABOUT SASAMI TOO
SLP SLP

YOU HAVEN'T EVEN TOUCHED YOUR FAVORITE CARROTS

MREOOOOW !!!
IT'S OKAY, RYO-OH-KI! REALLY! ♡

I'M SURE TENCHI AND THE GANG WILL DRIVE THE DARKNESS AWAY FROM SASAMI! I'M SURE!

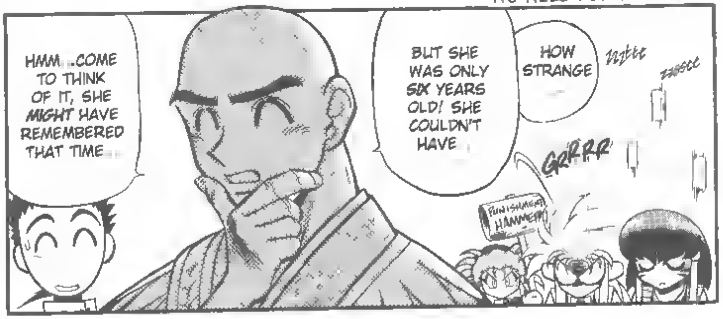

THAT'S RIGHT! MY BODY HAS INHERITED MUSHIMA'S MEMORIES ...HIS TECHNIQUES!
REMEMBER YOUR PROMISE TO MUSHIMA! SHOW ME YOUR TRUE POWER!
IT WAS A GOOD CONTEST
LET US MEET AND DO BATTLE AGAIN WHEN WE ARE BOTH IN PEAK CONDITION
YOU KNEW OF MY RIGHT ARM...
I HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN...
BLULLT.
gWUM
AGONIZING
IF I TRANSFORM NOW...
OOOH!..
LADY ASAH! WILL HATE MEEE!
CHOICE

..NO.
GARR
RIIIGH
IT CAN'T BE!
UFF
HFF
UFF
FFF
YOU!
YOUR TRUE POWER IS NOTHING LIKE THIS!
THE MUSHIMA WITHIN ME IS GRIEVING!
!!
MUSHIMA ...?!

GRR?
RIGHT?
SO, UM...
YOU KNEW ABOUT HIS TRANSFORMATION?
SO, GOHGE!?! YOU GOT AN EXPLANATION?
WELL, IF I WERE TO INFER.
OH, DON'T TELL ME YOU DIDN'T KNOW!
ah ha ha!
LORD GOHGE! IS A GAGUTIAN! EVERYONE KNOWS THEY BECOME STRONGER WHEN THEY TRANSFORM.
LITTLE ASAH! IS BEING ATTACKED BY A RYUTEN BROWN BEAR
GRR?!
OH NO!
EEP!
TRANS-FORM!
THE CHAMPION OF JUSTICE SAVES THE GIRL.
HE IS GONE WITH THE WIND, LEAVING NO NAME
UM...
HAHA! I'M NOT GOHGE OR ANYTHING- I'M JUST A CHAMPION OF JUSTICE PASSING THROUGH
BYE!

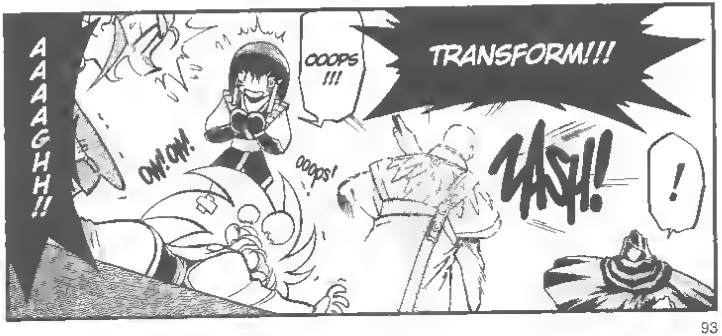
LORD GOHGE!!
UH.. YES?
WHY DON'T YOU TRANS-FORM?!
YOU'LL BE KILLED IF YOU STAY THAT WAY!
ASAHI ?!
HUH ?

SORRY ABOUT THAT!
AHHH! THAT'S BETTER!
HERE I COME!!
WHOOSH
YAH !!
NOW-- LET'S GET SERIOUS!


HMM...COME TO THINK OF IT, SHE MIGHT HAVE REMEMBERED THAT TIME...
BUT SHE WAS ONLY SIX YEARS OLD! SHE COULDN'T HAVE...
HOW STRANGE...
GRRRR
FUNISHMENT HAMMER!

IT'S OBVIOUS, YOU MORONIC PRIEST!
ZAP
A GOOD BEATING SHOULD CLEAR YOUR HEAD!
I GET THE FEELING I'M BEING IGNORED...
HOW IS THAT "INFERRING"?!

WELL, THAT MAKES IT EASIER, DOESN'T IT.
HUH?
poip!


AAAAGHH!!
OOOPS!!!
TRANSFORM!!!
OH! OH!
OOOPS!
ZASH!
!

I TOLD YOU-- I'M SERIOUS!
THE LEGENDARY PEEK-A-BOO-BLOCK!!
YOU MEAN A SUPER-SWIFT GAGUTIAN IS TAKING AN OPPONENT'S BLOWS... ON PURPOSE?!
D-- DON'T KID AROUND
SUCH COWARDLY FIGHT-ING.
SLASH
I WON'T ACCEPT IT!
I'LL CRUSH YOUR PEEK-A-BOO ASS!

FWUP
BAM
WHAM
!?
TUMP
B--
BASTARD
!!!
WHAT
ARE
YOU
TRYING
TO
DO?!

HERE HE GOES! GOHGEI IS GETTING JUICED!
!
LOOK AT THE POWER HE'S GIVING OFF!
?
OH..
HIS BODY-- IT'S STARTED TO GLOW..?!
THAT'S RIGHT..
HE'S GOT THIS TECHNIQUE DOWN ALMOST PERFECT!
IT'S LIKE BENDING A BOW ALMOST TO THE BREAKING POINT..
AND THEN..

STOP IT!
YOU IDIOT! UNCOVER YOUR FACE!
tweek
WHAT'S THE POINT IF YOU'RE NOT WATCHING?!
OH, SURE-- HE SPOUTS "PROMISES" AND "OBLIGATIONS" AND ALL THAT NONSENSE..
I-I CAN'T BREATHE!
BUT ALL HE REALLY WANTS..
♡
...IS TO LOOK COOL IN FRONT OF HIS GIRL!
♡
YOU MEAN...

WAR
AMAZING!
UNGH !!
WOOSSH!!
TO THINK--! HE'D BEEN STORING AND AMPLIFYING HIS ATTACKER'S ENERGY, PREPARING TO RELEASE IT ALL AT ONCE!
GOHGE!!
WHAP!

DAMN! WHAT A FIRM BLOCK!!
BUT!
THIS IS IT!
...HE'LL RELEASE IT...
...IN ONE GIANT BURST!
WOOM

B-BUT .. HE TOOK THAT POWER-BLAST HEAD-ON!
HE'S STILL ALIVE ??
IS THIS THE SAME GUY?!
I'M AFRAID SO, RYOKO
IT'S AS IF HISHIMA HAS—

I-IT'S OVER!
hff
uff
HARDER THAN I THOUGHT...
heh!
NICE GOING, OLD MAN!
LORD GOUGE!!
!?

WHOA!
HEH, HEH, HEH. HE TAKES THE ABILITIES OF THOSE HE HAS FOUGHT... AND MAKES THEM HIS OWN.
AND THEY ALWAYS SURPASS THE ORIGINAL.
GOHGE!..
SKRAKKA
YOU ARE INDEED STRONG
ZZZTTT

I SEE YOU'VE GUESSED IT!
HISHIMA IS A WAR MACHINE BASED ON THE GAGUITAN LIFE FORM!
MUSHIMA AND TAKASHIMA WERE EASY PICKINGS...
...BUT MY MASTERPIECE HAS A SELF-EVOLVING MECHANISM!
DO YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS?! OF COURSE NOT!
MAKE THEM UNDER-STAND, HISHIMA!
CHINK!
YES!
SHINNNG!

M-MY GOD!
SHSSSH
THERE WAS ANOTHER --?
ANOTHER WARRIOR?!
THE JURAI PRINCE! SO YOU'RE THE LAST OBSTACLE!
FINE! WHEN YOU'RE GONE, NOTHING WILL STAND IN MY WAY!

MY STRENGTH --GONE!
I GUESS THAT TECHNIQUE NEEDED MORE PRACTICE. .
WHOOM
HOWEVER...
SHAAA
WE SHALL ALWAYS WIN!
WELL, LOOKS LIKE ..
...MY TIME'S UP.
KLANG

PREPARE YOURSELF!
!
TH- THIS FEELING!
THERE WAS...
ANOTHER ONE?!

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THE AGONY OF DEFEAT

Oip!
...HUH?
LIM, I...
I FEEL FINE.
pəTOOM
A...
ALL RIIIGHT!
IT'S FINALLY OVER!

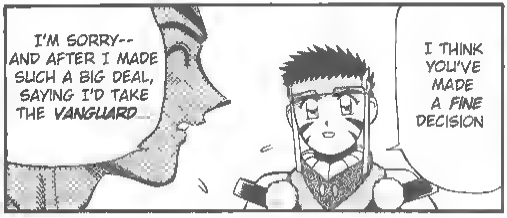
LORD GOHGEI!
LORD GOHGEI, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?!
SAY SOME-THING!
HUH?
OH, MY!
WHAT'S THIS?
WH-- WHAT IS IT, MIHOSHI?
ISN'T ASAHI ALLERGIC TO MEN?
BUT SHE'S WITH GOHGEI!

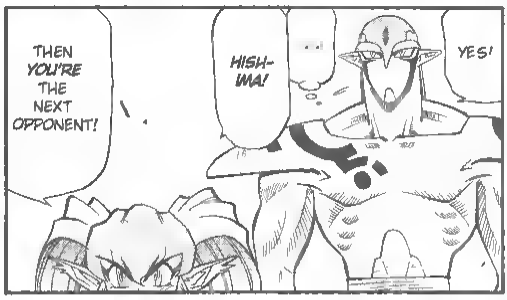
TIME OUT! I LOSE!
UNCLE!
DON'T BE STUPID!
ARE YOU SAYING YOUR LIFE IS SUDDENLY PRECIOUS?!
YUP! THAT'S RIGHT.
!!
BA-BOOM
(WOM!)
THE MATCH BETWEEN US HAS BEEN SETTLED!
NOW IT'S TIME TO FOLLOW MY TEACHINGS-- TO ORDER MY LIFE FOR THE SAKE OF THE ONE I LOVE.

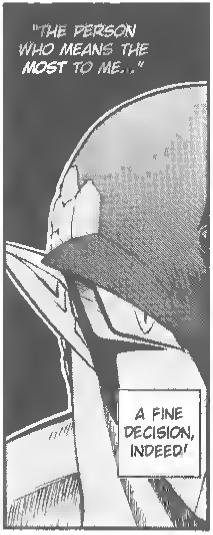
tra la la
YES, YES, YES! YOU'RE CURED OF YOUR ALLERGY!
I AM THE CHAMPION!
YOU WORKED HARD, ASAHI...
CON-GRAT-ULA-TIONS!
UM.. I...
..I THOUGHT LORD GOHGEI WAS IN DANGER, AND THEN...
SKSKS
I'M SURE YOU'VE HAD ENOUGH GOODBYES!
UP, GOHGEI!
THIS FIGHT ISN'T FINISHED!

BUT I, TOO, HAVE SOMETHING TO PROTECT!
ARE YOU READY?
OTHERWISE, I WOULD NEVER ACCEPT SUCH A COWARDLY ACT!
YES
VEEM
HE'S STRONG!
BUT I'VE BEEN TRAINING REALLY HARD! I CAN DO THIS!
THERE'S NO TURNING BACK!
VICTORY MUST BE OURS--FOR MASTER YUME!

THE ONE YOU LOVE...
YES! I WANT TO PROTECT THE PERSON WHO MEANS THE MOST TO ME.
FOR THAT, I CAN ENDURE ANY DISGRACE
YOU WOULD DO ALL THIS. FOR ME
GOHGE!
SMIT
LORD TENCHI!


I'M SORRY-- AND AFTER I MADE SUCH A BIG DEAL, SAYING I'D TAKE THE VANGUARD...
I THINK YOU'VE MADE A FINE DECISION

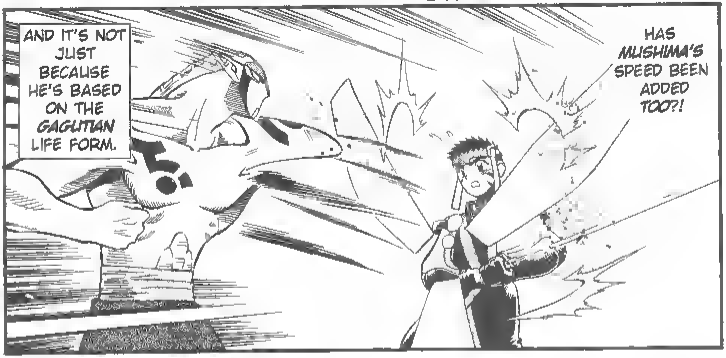

THEN YOU'RE THE NEXT OPPONENT!
HISH-IMA!
YES!


"THE PERSON WHO MEANS THE MOST TO ME..."
A FINE DECISION, INDEED!

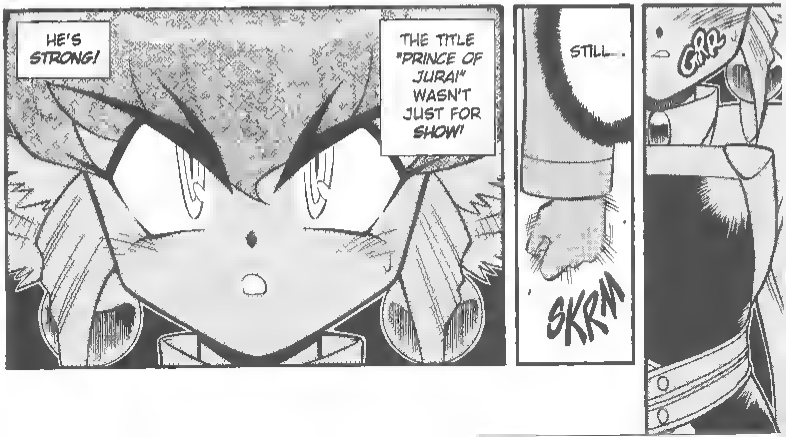
HE...
TH--TH LIGHTEST IMPACT...
HAS THE POWER OF MY OWN SWORD..?!
HE CAN COPY THE ABILITIES OF HIS OPPONENT SO QUICKLY?!
HE DODGED IT?!
I'VE BEEN SO CAUGHT UP IN HIS SELF-EVOLVING MECHANISM THAT I HADN'T NOTICED, BUT..
DAMN, HE'S FAST!
DAMN!

FROM THE FRONT?!
SLASH
KAKA
WHAM
SHO

YOU WILL WIN!
HSHM?!
!!
S-- STEPPED BACK?!
A BIG ONE'S COMING?!
I THANK YOU...
. ALONG WITH MUSHIMA WITHIN ME...
...FOR THE OPPORTUNITY OF MEETING SUCH A STRONG WARRIOR!


AND IT'S NOT JUST BECAUSE HE'S BASED ON THE GAGLITIAN LIFE FORM.
HAS MUSHIMA'S SPEED BEEN ADDED TOO?!

MY GOD!
I CAN'T REMEMBER ANYONE WHO'S BEEN ABLE TO GO SO FAR AGAINST MY GREATEST MASTERPIECE...
.MY GEM OF A KILLING MACHINE! HE'S STRONG!


HE'S STRONG!
THE TITLE "PRINCE OF JURA!" WASN'T JUST FOR SHOW!
STILL..
SKRM
GRR

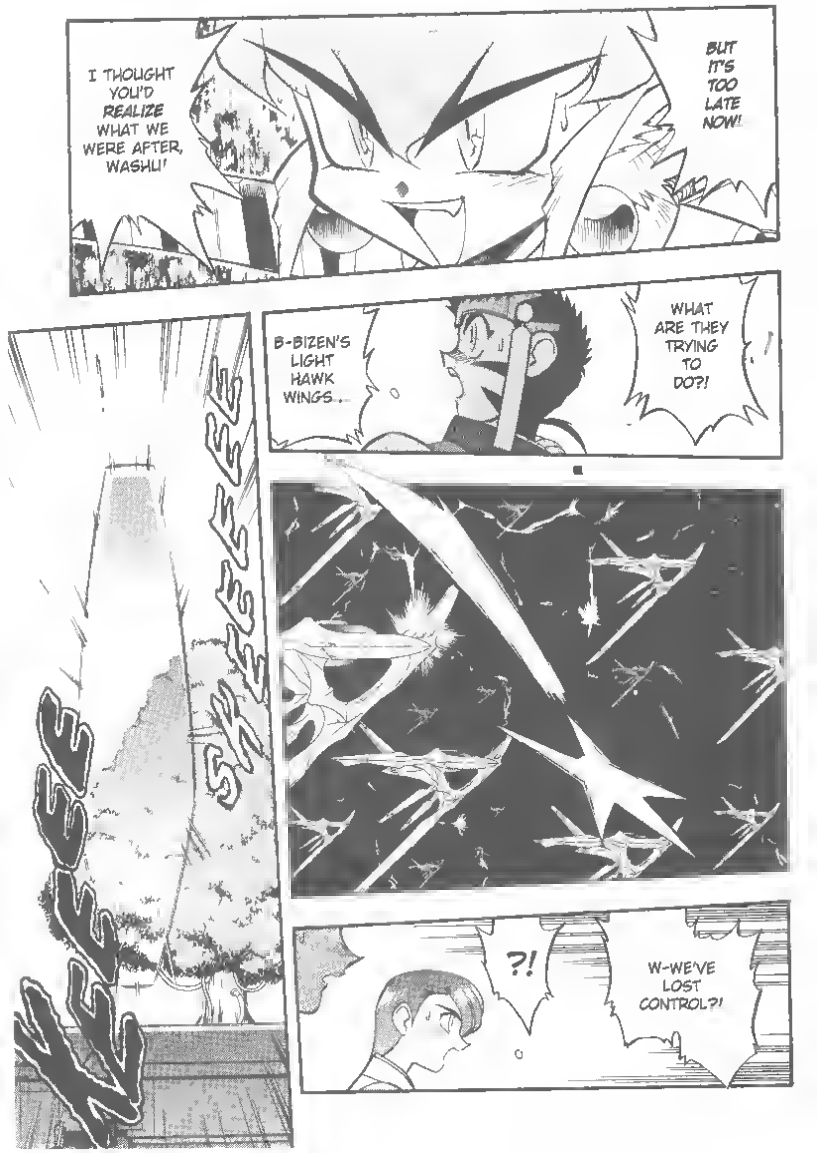
LORD TENCHI !!!!
TENCHI?!
IT'S OVER..
W--
--WAIT..

THE JURAI FLEET?!
HAILING THE BIZEN-THIEF!
SURRENDER AT ONCE--
OR FACE JUSTICE IN THE NAME OF THE JURAI ROYAL FAMILY!
♡
.....

I--IMPOSS-IBLE!
HE TOOK A DIRECT HIT...!
I-I UH
.. CAN STILL .. GO ON.
HE'S STUBBORN, ALL RIGHT!
NO BIG DEAL! JUST FINISH
TH--
--THIS IS...

ONE LESS OBSTACLE ...
... BETWEEN ME AND DESTINY!
AAAA

I THOUGHT THE GALAXY POLICE WOULD SHOW UP FIRST, BUT...
...THE JURAI FLEET BEAT'EM TO IT!
. WHAT A STYLISH ENTRANCE!
LADY MISAKI'S VOICE!!
M--MOTHER...?!


I THOUGHT YOU'D REALIZE WHAT WE WERE AFTER, WASHU!
BUT IT'S TOO LATE NOW!
B-BIZEN'S LIGHT HAWK WINGS..
WHAT ARE THEY TRYING TO DO?!
SHEEEEEEE
?!
W-WE'VE LOST CONTROL?!

LIGHT HAWK WINGS?! BUT H-HOW...?!
!!
NO!
LADY FUNAHO, LADY MISAKI! GET AWAY FROM HERE!

VMMMMM
VMMMM
OH.
H-HOW COULD THIS BE...?
WUHP
THAT'S IT...
IT'S ALL OVER..
DON'T GIVE UP, AYEKA!
WASHU'S PROMISE STILL HOLDS!
IF I WIN, WE CAN MAKE THEM WITHDRAW FROM JURAI!
Y-YES
LORD TENCHI!

HA, HA, HA! SORRY, WASHU!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?! REGAIN COMMAND!
I--IT'S NO USE! ALL SHIPS WITH "ROYAL TREES" FROM THE THIRD GENERATION ON ARE OUT OF CONTROL!
FROM THIS MOMENT ON, THE JURAI FLEET IS UNDER BIZEN'S COMMAND!
LADY FUNAHO AND LADY MISAKI'S FLAGSHIP IS BEING TAKEN
IM-POSSIBLE! A SECOND GENER-ATION TREE?!
BUT HOW?!
AND I BROUGHT THE WHOLE BATTALION, IN CASE OF THE WORST...! I WAS A FOOL..
THE SECRET FILES OF THE MASTER SCULPTOR GAVE ME ALL THE KNOWLEDGE I NEEDED!
WITH BIZEN MINE TO COMMAND, THE WHOLE PLANET OF JURAI SHALL FALL!

LEND ME ENOUGH CHI TO PROTECT EVERYONE!

DASH
PMB PMB PMB
PMB PMB
HMM ?!
A HIGH PRESSURE BATTLE AURA--TEN TIMES STRONGER THAN BEFORE!
EVERYONE... GIVE ME...
SHENRON
...YOUR POWER!

IMPOSSIBLE! NOT EVEN HISHIMA COULD COPY THE PRINCE'S LIGHT HAWK WINGS!
TENCHI!!
LORD TENCHI!

UNGH... AURA IS OVER-WHELM-ING...
ZZSH
BUT I'VE SEEN WHAT THE LIGHT HAWK WINGS CAN DO.
THERE IS NO RETREAT!!
KSSSHAA

KERDKRAAST
OH!
MASTER YUME!
YUME!
!!
SKDZRRRPPKK

THUMP
W-WELL DONE...
NNOKK
SKRRCNCH
!!
YUME! LOOK OUT!
!!

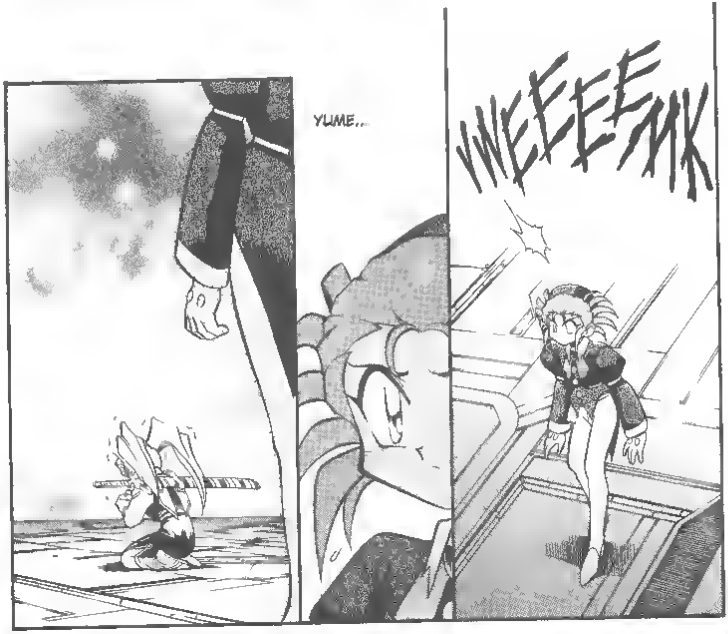
TAKA-
SHIMA...
SKK
BECAUSE
OF MY
KICK.
MASTER
YUME,
HURRY!
B--
BUT...
WHOOSH

SKRKKKK
B--
BUT
I--
I'M
FINE
MASTER
YUME!
ARE
YOU ALL
RIGHT?!
D-DAMN! THE
DAMAGE--MORE
THAN I THOUGHT!
I DIDN'T EXPECT
SUCH POWER
FROM THE LIGHT
HAWK WINGS!

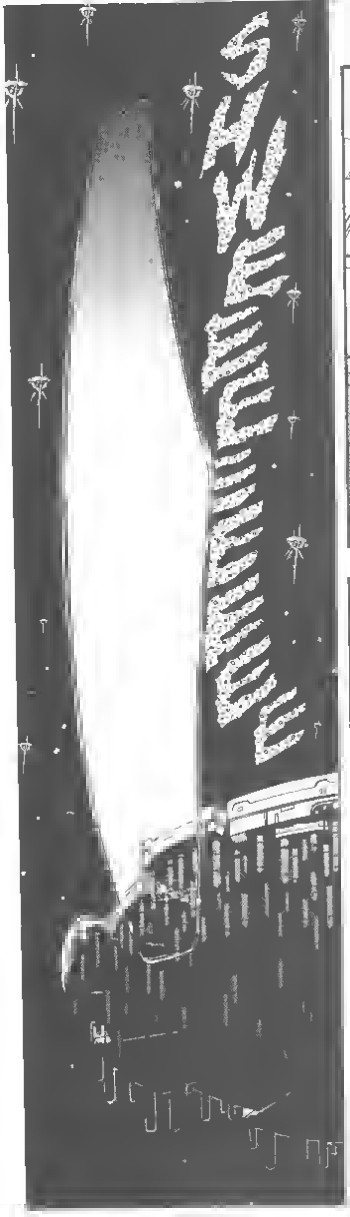
TH-- THAT FOOL..
LADY AYEKA! HUSH!
"FOOL"?!
I KNOW HE WAS YOUR CREATION, BUT THAT'S NO WAY TO TALK!
I NEVER TOLD YOU..
..TO GIVE.. YOUR LIFE. FOR ME.

SMASH!

ALL RIGHT, WASHU! NOW WHAT'S GOING ON?
THE SHOCK-- IT'S CAUSED BIZEN TO COMPLETELY LOSE CONTROL!
IF WE DON'T DO SOMETHING FAST, THE ROYAL TREES UNDER BIZEN'S COMMAND WILL SET OFF A CHAIN REACTION OF EXPLOSIVE CONTRACTIONS!
I'M AFRAID THAT THE WORST CASE SCENARIO, IN SUCH A SITUATION, IS THE UTTER DESTRUCTION OF OUR GALAXY!


YUME...
WEEEEEEK

OH, NO!
SKWEEEMK WEEEMK


SHWEEE

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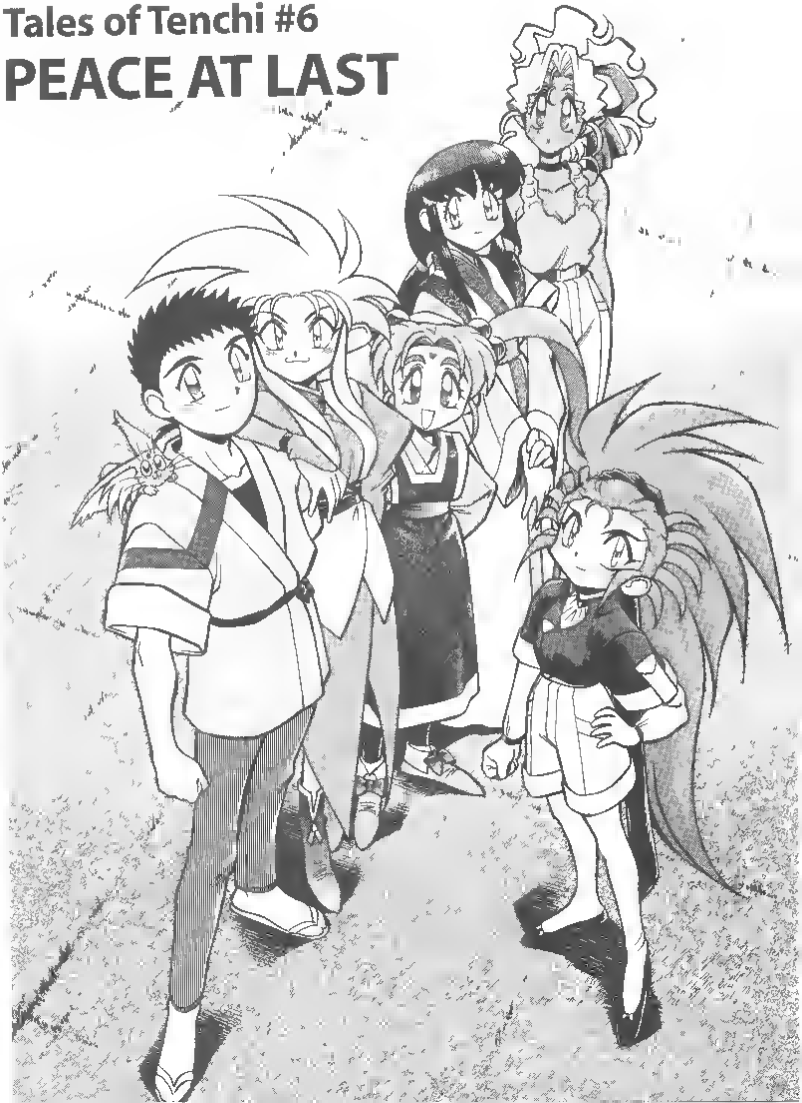
PEACE AT LAST



IT'S NO USE, WASHU.
NO ONE CAN STOP THE RECOIL NOW..
IT WAS MY MISTAKE
I SHOULD HAVE HAD A FAIL SAFE!
IT WOULDN'T HAVE HELPED
LIGHT HAWK WINGS ARE THE SECRET OF SECRETS..
IT'S A MIRACLE YOU COULD EVEN CONTROL IT THIS FAR.

I KNEW THIS WOULD HAPPEN! YUME'S BEEN FORCING A ROYAL TREE! ONLY THE PROMISED ONES CAN EVEN UNDERSTAND THEIR POWER..
AND NOW WE PAY THE PRICE!
THE JURAI FLEET UNDER BIZEN'S CONTROL WILL SET OFF A CHAIN REACTION OF EXPLOSIVE CONTRACTIONS, AND. IF WORSE COMES TO WORST-- THE GALAXY WILL COLLAPSE!
YUME..
WE'RE ALL GOING TO STOP BIZEN..
...OKAY?

LISTEN TO RYOKO FOR ONCE...
LORD TENCHI!
TENCHI!
AS LONG AS WE HAVE BREATH... AS LONG AS WE CAN STILL THINK-- WE SHOULDN'T GIVE UP!
...AND WE'RE ALL GOING BACK HOME-- TO EARTH!!
THAT'S HOW WE'VE ALWAYS BEEN...

WHSSSSH
:rrrrr
WE'RE DOOMED, AREN'T WE
WHAT ARE YOU WHINING ABOUT?!
WHERE'S YOUR USUAL SPIRIT, AYEKA?! HUH?!
THIS IS HARDLY THE TIME...!
I MEAN...
I...

WH-- WHO'S POUTING, HUH?!
OH! STILL HAD THE ENERGY TO GET MAD? IMPRESSIVE
LET ME GO!
I CAN WALK BY MYSELF!
Wap
MASTER YUME ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
YOU, TOO? HOW AM I NOT ALL RIGHT?!
heh heh!
LORD TENCHI IS COMING INTO HIS OWN—
RYOKO, CONTACT MINAGI!
GOTCHA
—AND THIS TIME, EVEN I HAD JUST ABOUT GIVEN UP HOPE!

TENCHI
C'MON, DON'T JUST STAND THERE.
YOU TOO, YUME! LET'S GO!
HUH?
YOU CREATED THIS LITTLE SYSTEM WE CAN'T FIX IT WITHOUT YOU!
skrrp
HEY!
skrrrp
skrrp
YOU CAN'T JUST POUT FOREVER!

AH, YOUTH--- COURAGE THAT DOES NOT LOOK BACK!
COURAGE THAT NEVER KNOWS WHEN TO QUIT! EVER FORWARD.
LADY MISAKI, I'M GLAD I WAS ABLE TO SERVE UNDER YOU!
DON'T GIVE UP! FIGHT!
LORD TENCHI.
...I SEE HOW MUCH YOU HAVE GROWN.
BUT AT SUCH AN EMOTIONAL TURNING POINT...
...IT'S NO FAIR TO HOG THE SPOTLIGHT!
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO SAY THIS.

YOU WERE BORN A LEADER, LORD TENCHI...
...AND SOON A GALAXY WILL TAKE NOTICE!
YOU CAN DROP THE OMNISCIENT POSE NOW WASHU

TAKE SASAMI AND RUN--- RUN AS FAR AS YOU CAN!
WHAT ...?!
FWUP!
WHAT HAPPENED OVER THERE?!
BIZEN IS TOTALLY OUT OF CONTROL!
THEY'RE TRYING TO STOP IT, BUT THIS SECTOR COULD WELL BE DESTROYED, ALONG WITH THE JURAI FLEET.
SO GET AWAY FROM HERE.
N-NO! I'M COMING TO HELP!
I DIOT!
ARE YOU GOING TO LET SASAMI GET HURT BY ALL THIS?!
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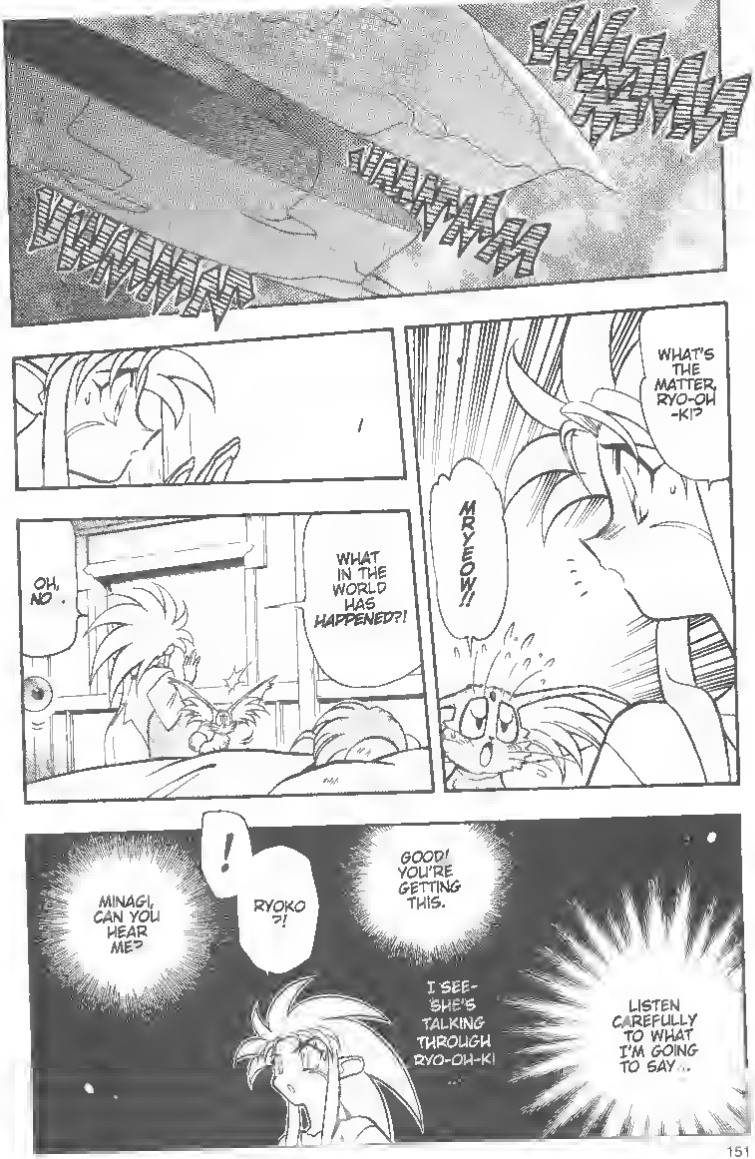
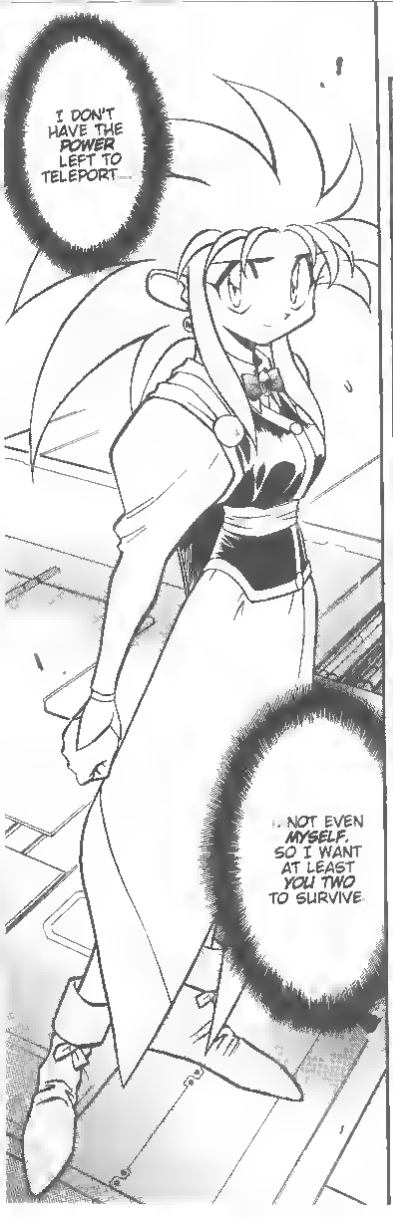

WHAAAAM
WHAAAAM
WHAAAAM
I
WHAT'S THE MATTER, RYO-OH-KI?
MRYEOW!!
OH, NO.
WHAT IN THE WORLD HAS HAPPENED?!
MINAGI, CAN YOU HEAR ME?
!
RYOKO ?!
GOOD! YOU'RE GETTING THIS.
I SEE- SHE'S TALKING THROUGH RYO-OH-KI ...
LISTEN CAREFULLY TO WHAT I'M GOING TO SAY...


I DON'T HAVE THE POWER LEFT TO TELEPORT...
...NOT EVEN MYSELF, SO I WANT AT LEAST YOU TWO TO SURVIVE.

I--IT CAN'T BE...
UHHH
MINAGI ?

ALL BECAUSE RYOKO'S BODY WAS USED TO HEAL MINE...!
GHHH

WHAT...
WHAT CAN I...

Eh!
IT'S TOUGH, BUT PLEASE LISTEN!!
..THIS IS MY FIRST AND LAST REQUEST.
B-BUT...! I KNOW! TRANSFER AS MANY PEOPLE YOU CAN TO HINASE--JUST TELEPORT THEM ALL! WE CAN STILL MAKE IT!
GOOD IDEA, BUT... SORRY I CAN'T
?!
WHY NOT?!

SHWEEEEN
HOW'S IT GOING?
WE MIGHT MAKE IT.
THE OVERRIDE FOR THE FILES' GENETIC ALGORITHM WILL BE DONE IN FOUR MINUTES
TH--THAT WOULD MEAN...
. BIZEN'S LIFE--OVER!! IN EXCHANGE FOR GALACTIC PEACE .
I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE THINKING ...
...BUT FACE IT--THIS IS THE ONLY CHANCE WE HAVE.

MINAGI...
!!!
MINAGI !!
L--LOOK AT SASAMI..!
SMASH!!
!!

A SPACE SCHISM!
THE MASSIVE ENERGY THAT BIZEN'S LIGHT HAWK WINGS PULLED FROM THE OTHER DIMENSION... IT'S CONVERGING-- INTO A DIMENSIONAL DISTORTION! WE'RE NOT GOING TO MAKE IT!

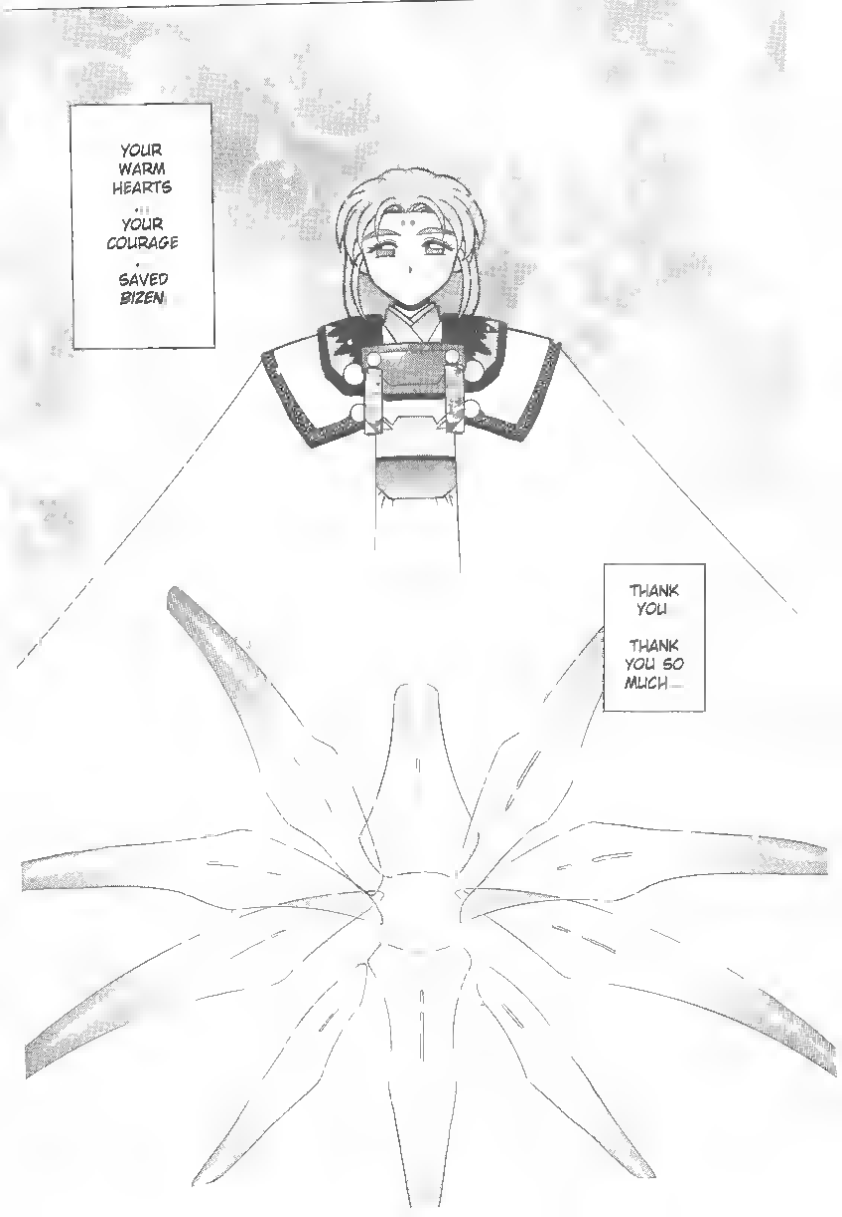
I'LL KEEP MY PROMISE! I'LL STOP BIZEN--NO MATTER WHAT
I SWEAR ON MY NAME, I WILL!
YUME...
母
!!
WH--WHAT NOW?!

THE FIRST SHIP...

FALLEN ANGEL
KFFEEN
DAMMIT! WE WERE SO CLOSE...!
..?
BIZEN'S CRY..!
HAS STOPPED ?
!!

SHAOOO
TSUNAMI'S IMAGE...?
FWUP
FWSSHHAAA
THE COUNT-LESS MOTES OF LIGHT...

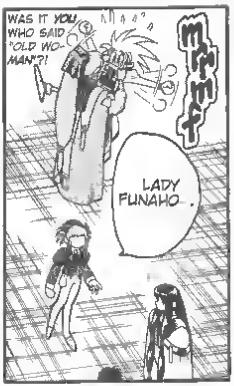
FWOOSH!!
TSUNAMI!!


YOUR WARM HEARTS ... YOUR COURAGE ... SAVED BIZEN!
THANK YOU ... THANK YOU SO MUCH—

PFFT SSHT SHT
SPFFT PSHT
!!
TH--THE SYSTEMS ARE BACK TO NORMAL!
OH REALLY?!
♡
slap! clap!
THANK YOU, EVERY-ONE...
NO PROBLEMS WITH THE ACCELE-RATOR SAIL-BLADES!
SYSTEMS ARE ALL GREEN
TSUNAMI.
!
ESSSHT
fshhaaaaa
BIZEN'S LIGHT HAWK WINGS--
---THEY'RE GOING BACK TO NORMAL!

YOU MUST BE MINAGI. ♡

I DON'T KNOW HOW TO THANK YOU FOR TAKING CARE OF OUR KIDS!
OOH, SHE'S SO CUTE!
OH, NO PROB--REALLY
THIS OLD WOMAN HASN'T CHANGED


WAS IT YOU WHO SAID "OLD WOMAN"?!
mmf
LADY FUNAHO

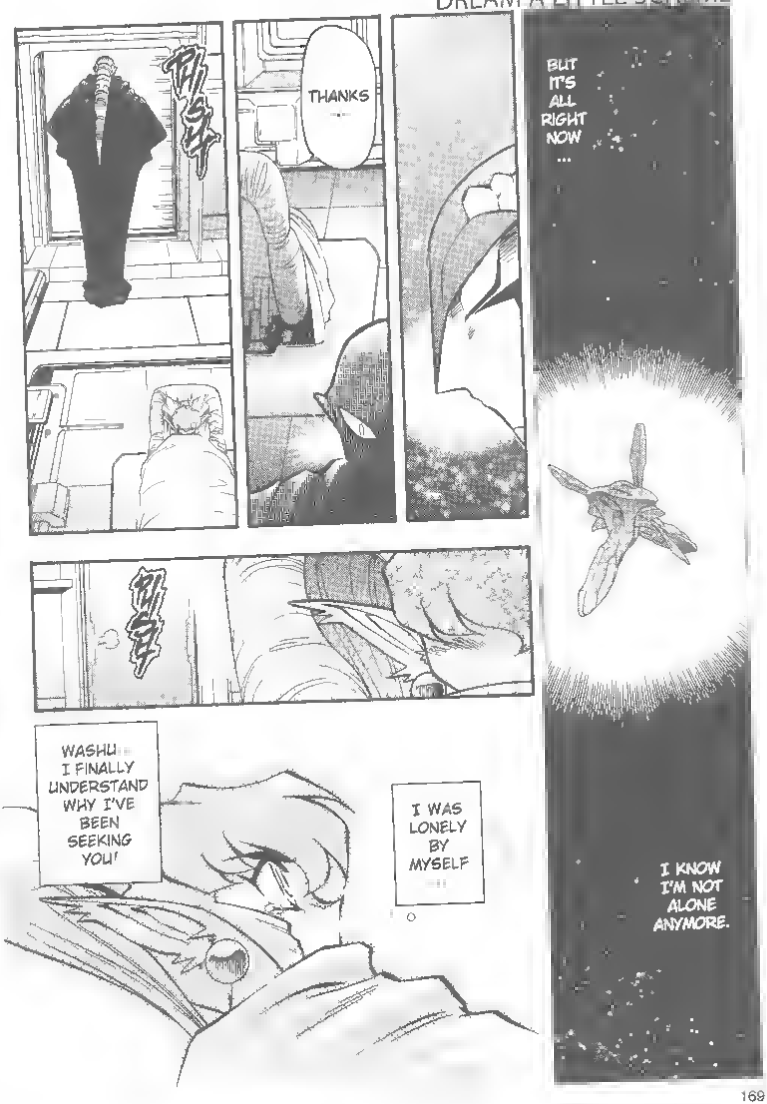
...YOU SEE, IT'S ABOUT YUME...
I DON'T THINK JURAI WILL BE BOTHERED ANYMORE

TSUNAMI SAVED US AGAIN...
SHAAOO
IT'S JUST WRONG
SHE STEALS ALL THE JUICY ROLES.
VWOM
VWOM
VWOM
LORD TENCHI!
IT'S MOTHER'S SHIP!

MASTER YUME... PLEASE REST WELL...
I'M NOT SURPRISED SO MUCH TO DO AFTER AWAKENING FROM A 1000-YEAR-LONG SLEEP.
shwaaa~

LADY FUNAHO...
heh!
WE JUST CAME TO SEE OUR DAUGHTERS
SO IF YOU'D..
!!!
RIGHT, WASHU?
♡
L--LADY FUNAHO, WE MEET AGAIN.
LADY ASAHI!
YOU MUST HAVE HAD A DIFFICULT TIME
GUH!
OOH!
ASAHI, YOU'VE GROWN UP TO BE SO BEAUTIFUL!
♡
She's soooooo cuuuuute!
skweeench
YEEK !!

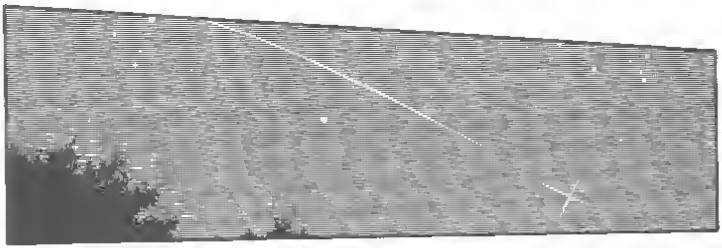
DELIVERY FOR YOU!
THANK YOU...
BUT I WONDER WHAT THIS IS..?
!
BRO-THER!
HEY, BROTHER YOSHO!
"WITH LORD GOHGEI'S HELP, THE RECONSTRUCTION OF RYUTEN IS GOING SMOOTHLY."
"I WAS ABLE TO FIND A POSITION AS A CARVER, LIKE I ALWAYS ASPIRED TO BE
"I WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO VISIT EARTH AGAIN WHEN I GET A CHANCE..."
BUT HOW!? SHE GET AHOLD OF EARTH DELIVERY?


THANKS
BUT IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW ...
I KNOW I'M NOT ALONE ANYMORE.
WASHU... I FINALLY UNDERSTAND WHY I'VE BEEN SEEKING YOU!
I WAS LONELY BY MYSELF

TOO-TAKA-TAKA-TAKA-TAKA!!
"I CARVED THIS ESPECIALLY FOR LORD YOSHO. IT'S A VERY SATISFACTORY WORK, IF I MAY SAY SO MYSELF. I WOULD BE HONORED IF YOU WOULD ACCEPT IT."
I--I SEE..
MASTER
I GOT YOUR SWORD BACK
YOU'D PRAISE ME, WOULDN'T YOU..?

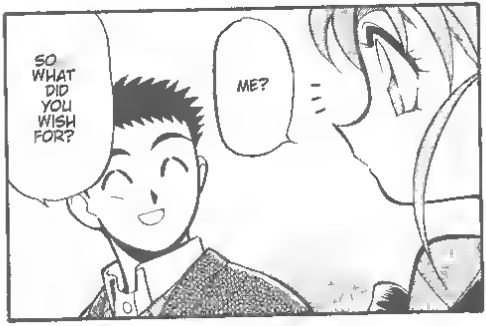
I'M GLAD SHE'S DOING ALL RIGHT.
SAY, ASAHI'S GETTING MARRIED, RIGHT?
I WANT TO GO TO THEIR WEDDING!
YES, SHE OVERCAME HER ALLERGY TO MALES, SO IT SHOULD BE ABOUT THE RIGHT TIME AHHH!
I WONDER WHEN THE "RIGHT TIME" IS GOING TO COME...
BWA HA HA!
FOR SOMEONE ELSE WE KNOW?
GRRR
I'M SURE IT'LL BE SOONER THAN YOURS!
tee hee!
WHAT DID YOU SAY?
BY THE WAY, TENCHI..
WHAT WAS IT AS-CHAN SENT?
OH! THAT...
SINCE THEY FIGHT ALL THE TIME, SHE'S NO LONGER UPSET BY IT...

I WISHED THAT EVERYONE COULD STAY FRIENDS TOGETHER...
FOREVER AND EVER...!
AMEN!
TO BE CONTINUED...



DO YOU WISH UPON A STAR ON JURAI, TOO?
NO.. YOUR FATHER TAUGHT US.

I WISH THAT I WILL MARRY LORD TENCHI... I WISH THAT RYOKO WOULD GO AWAY...
I WISH TO KISS SWEET TENCHI'S LIPS. I WISH THAT ANYTHING BAD WOULD HAPPEN TO AYEKA!


SO WHAT DID YOU WISH FOR?
ME?

WELL, I...

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